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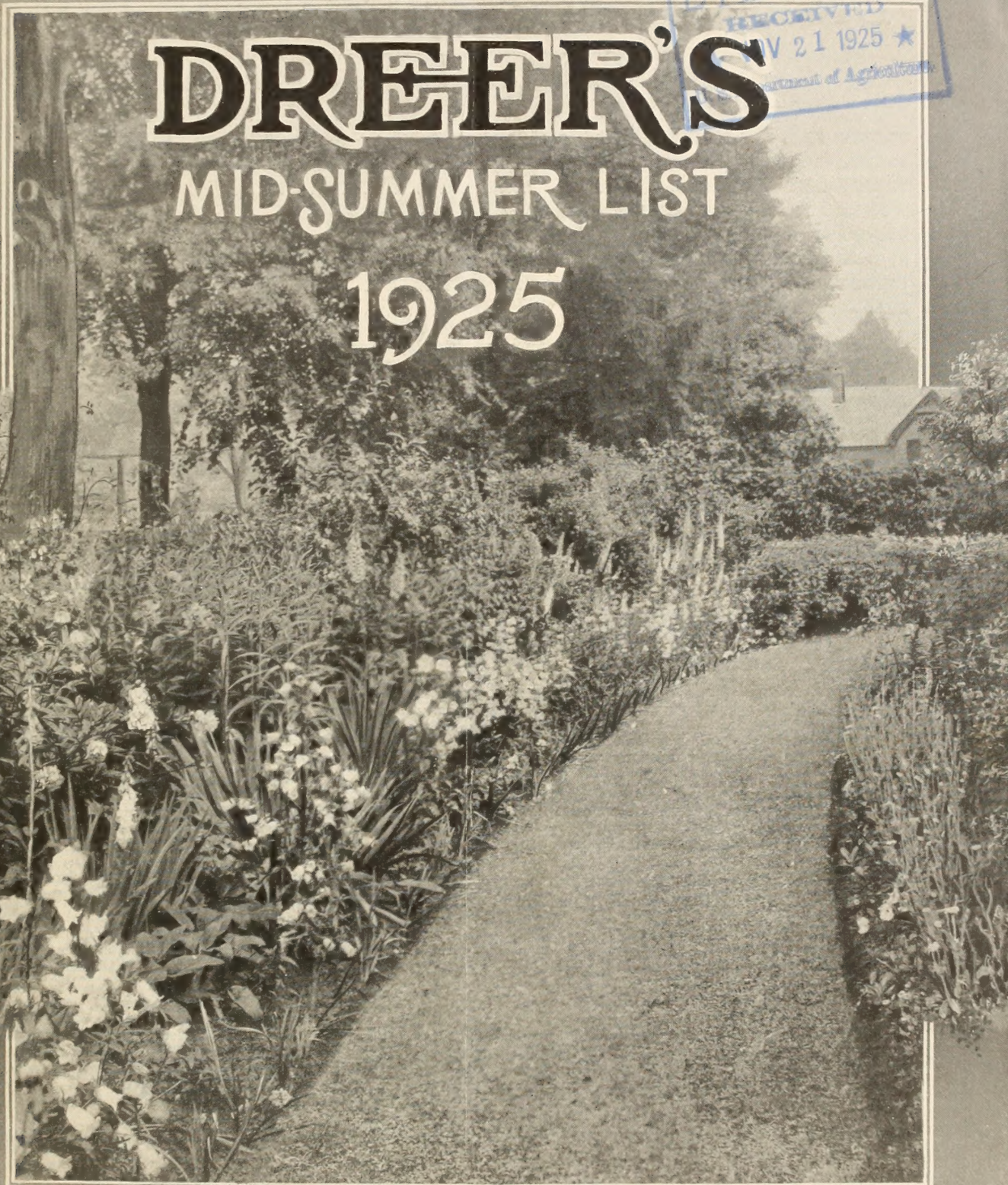
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## MID-SUMMER LIST

# 1925



# HENRY A. DREER

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# Dreer's Midsummer Catalogue 1925

In presenting our Midsummer Catalogue for 1925 we would direct the attention of our patrons to our much enlarged offerings this season, which appear on the following pages:

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**The attention of our customers is respectfully called to the following directions, which will, if followed, be an aid to purchasers as well as ourselves**

**FORWARDING.**—We deliver, postpaid to any Post Office in the United States, Vegetable and Flower Seeds in packets, ounces and pounds, except where otherwise noted in the Catalogue. Agricultural Seeds, Implements, Fertilizers and other heavy and bulky goods are sent by Express or Freight at purchaser's expense.

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
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# Dreer's Reliable Flower Seeds

## FOR SUMMER SOWING

On the following 21 pages we give a list of Seeds of the **Best Hardy Perennials**, which are now so deservedly popular. With little trouble you can have an abundant supply of Columbines, Canterbury Bells, Foxgloves, Gaillardias, Hollyhocks, Larkspurs, Forget-me-nots, Daisies, Sweet Williams, etc., etc., for flowering in 1926. The list also includes a choice selection of other Flower Seeds for summer sowing, such as Cinerarias, Cyclamens, Pansies, Primulas, etc.

Hardy perennials are easily grown from seed. In many cases they are a little slower than annuals, but with intelligent care they are successfully raised, and from seed is an excellent way to get up a big stock of perennials.

We will be pleased to send our customers on request a leaflet on **How to Grow Perennials from Seed**, written expressly for us by Wm. Falconer, of Pittsburgh.

For the convenience of our customers, and to facilitate the filling of orders, it is only necessary in ordering to give the number of packets wanted and the corresponding number in the Catalogue.

### Achillea (Milfoil, or Yarrow)

PER PKT.

- 1021 **Ptarmica "The Pearl."** One of the best hardy white perennials. Grows about 2 feet high and from spring till frost is covered with heads of purest white double flowers. Easily grown from seed. . . . . \$0 25

### Aconitum (Monk's Hood, or Wolfsbane)

- 1031 **Napellus.** A hardy perennial, growing in any good garden soil, producing long spikes of curiously-shaped blue and white flowers. Well adapted for planting among shrubbery or in shady corners of the garden; 3 to 5 feet. . . . . 15

### Agrostemma (Rose of Heaven, Mullein Pink)

- 1090 **Coronaria.** An attractive free-flowing hardy perennial of easy culture, producing glowing crimson flowers like a single pink, and silvery white foliage; fine for cutting; 2 feet.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 20 cts. . . . . \$0 10
- 1091 — **Alba.** A pure white variety. . . . . 10



ALYSSUM SAXATILE COMPACTUM, ON ROCKERY

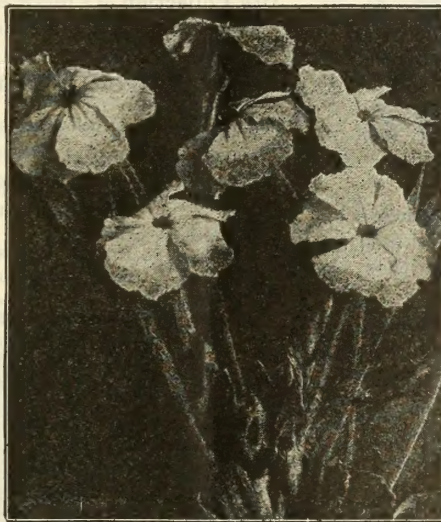
### Alyssum (Mad Wort)

Pretty little plants for edging or rockwork.

PER PKT.

- 1101 **Little Gem, or Carpet of Snow.** Annual of dwarf, compact habit, but 4 inches high. Seed sown during the summer comes into bloom in a few weeks, continuing a solid mass of white to late in autumn; the best white-flowering edging plant. Per  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts.; per oz., 75 cts. . . . . \$0 10

- 1104 **Saxatile Compactum (Basket of Gold).** Showy, bright yellow flowers, hardy perennial; excellent for rockwork; 1 foot. Per  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 40 cts. . . . . 10



AGROSTEMMA CORONARIA

### Ampelopsis (Boston, or Japanese Ivy)

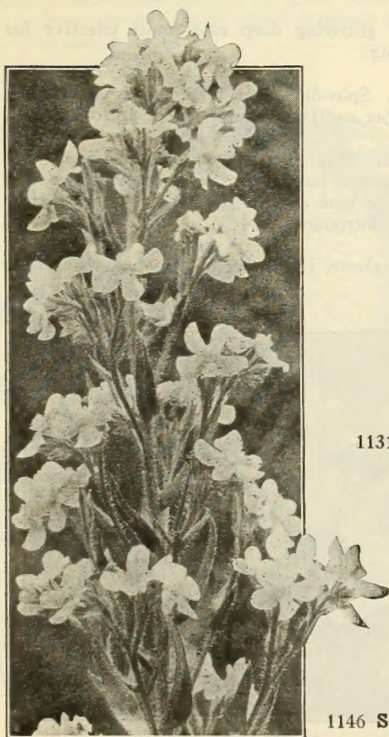
- 1131 **Veitchi.** A hardy perennial climber, with olive-green leaves, which turn to scarlet in the autumn. The best and most popular climber for covering brick or stone walls. Per oz., 50 cts. . . . . 10

### Anchusa (Alkanet)

- 1138 **Italica Dropmore Variety.** One of the best hardy perennials, grows 3 to 5 feet high, and bears in abundance flowers of the richest gentian-blue during May and June.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 40 cts. . . . . 15

### Anemone (Poppy Windflower)

- 1140 **Coronaria. Mixed Colors.** A very pleasing perennial, producing large flowers; few plants compare with them in beauty; fine for bouquets. Sow outdoors or in frame; keeping shaded till the plants appear. . . . . 10
- 1146 **St. Brigid.** A beautiful selection of the above. Our seed comes from a famous Irish grower and comprises semi-double and double flowers in a wonderful array of colors. 2 pkts., 25 cts. . . . . 15



ANCHUSA ITALICA, DROPMORE VARIETY





DREER'S PEERLESS PINK SNAPDRAGON

**Antirrhinum (Snapdragon)**

Within the last few years Snapdragons have become immensely popular. This is not to be wondered at, as, whether used for cutting or for show in the garden, they are one of the most valuable flowers which can readily be grown from seed. We offer two distinct types, the large-flowering, tall-growing or giant, and the equally large-flowered half dwarf variety. We have made exhaustive tests of scores of varieties and offer the following as being the best in their respective colors.

**Large-flowering Giant Varieties**

	PER PKT.
1171 <b>Crimson King.</b> Rich velvety garnet crimson.....	\$0 10
1172 <b>Golden King.</b> Rich yellow.....	10
1173 <b>Fire King.</b> Brilliant orange-scarlet.....	10
1174 <b>Harmony.</b> A harmonious blending of terra cotta, orange and rose.....	10
1175 <b>Queen Victoria.</b> Pure white.....	10
1176 <b>Rose King.</b> Soft silvery rose-pink.....	10
1179 <b>Collection</b> of a packet each of the above 6 sorts, 50 cts.	
1180 <b>Finest Mixed.</b> All colors, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 30 cts.....	10

**Large-flowering Half-dwarf Varieties**

A splendid type, growing about 18 inches high, the best for bedding purposes.

1162 <b>Silver Pink.</b> Soft pearly pink.....	10
1163 <b>Empress.</b> Rich velvety crimson.....	10
1164 <b>Golden Queen.</b> Rich yellow.....	10
1165 <b>Grenadier.</b> Fiery orange scarlet.....	10
1167 <b>Purity.</b> Pure white.....	10
1168 <b>Fawn.</b> Soft amber yellow overlaid chamois-rose.....	10
1169 <b>Collection</b> of a packet each of the above 6 sorts, 50 cts.	
1170 <b>Choice Mixed.</b> All colors, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 30 cts.....	10

**Three Beautiful Snapdragons**

The sorts offered below belong to the Grandiflora Half-dwarf section, and are unusually attractive in color.

- 1157 **Gloria.** Rich, glittering deep rose, most effective for bedding or cutting.
- 1158 **Prima Donna.** Splendid spikes, large flowers of charming color, being amber overlaid chamois effect apricot-pink.
- 1161 **Peerless Pink.** One of our own introductions. The flowers are of immense size, two inches and over across, and the color, an even tone of soft shell-pink, the finest clear pink variety yet introduced.

**Price.** Any of the above, 15 cts. per pkt.; a pkt. each of the three sorts for 35 cts.

**Anthemis (Hardy Marguerite)** PER PKT.

- 1150 **Kelwayi.** A most satisfactory hardy perennial, bearing all summer daisy-like golden-yellow blossoms; excellent for cutting; 2 feet.....\$0 10

**Arabis (Rock Cress)**

- 1211 **Alpina.** A hardy perennial and one of the earliest and prettiest spring flowers. The spreading tufts are covered with a sheet of pure white flowers as soon as the snow disappears. Unequaled for rockeries or edging; withstands the drought and is always neat; 6 inches.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts..... 10

**Armeria (Sea Pink or Thrift)**

- 1221 **Formosa.** A very pretty edging plant, bearing rosy-pink flowers; hardy perennial. 2 pkts., 25 cts..... 15

**Asparagus**

- 1231 **Plumosus Nanus.** This graceful Asparagus is an excellent house plant. \$1.00 per 100 seeds..... 25
- 1232 **Sprengeri (Emerald Feather).** One of the best plants to grow in suspended baskets, window boxes, vases, etc.; for the greenhouse in winter and outside in the summer. 50 cts. per 100 seeds..... 10

**Hardy Perennial Asters**

- 1400 **Mixed (Michaelmas Daisies).** Single fall-flowering hardy herbaceous plants, thriving in any good garden soil; 3 feet.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts..... 10

**Aubrietia (Rainbow Rock Cress)**

- 1490 **Large-flowering Hybrids.** A beautiful dwarf rock plant, covered with sheets of bright flowers in spring and early summer..... 15



ARABIS ALPINA



**Aquilegia (Columbine)**

No hardy plant grown from seed is more easily handled than the Columbine.

Seed may be sown in the open ground early in spring, and will, in some cases, bloom the same season; or they may be planted in August or September, and will come up early in spring and make vigorous plants, which will bloom abundantly during late spring and early summer.

Columbines should be planted wherever their presence will serve to lighten up a too stiff and formal planting, for no other plant has so airy a grace as the Columbine, is more generous of its blooms, or more effectively adapted for cut flowers.

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| 1181 <b>Californica Hybrida.</b> Exquisite flowers, in yellow and orange shades, all with long spurs.....   | \$0 15   |
| 1182 <b>Canadensis.</b> This is the scarlet and yellow native species and one of the brightest. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts.....  | 10       |
| 1183 <b>Chrysantha (Golden Spurred).</b> Golden-yellow. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts.  | 10       |
| 1184 <b>Silver Queen.</b> Long spurred pure white flowers.....  | 15       |
| 1185 <b>Coerulea (Rocky Mountain Columbine).</b> Violet-blue and white; 2 feet. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts.....  | 10       |
| 1197 <b>Nivea Grandiflora.</b> A beautiful large pure white. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts.....   | 10       |
| 1205 <b>Long-spurred Pink Hybrids.</b> A beautiful selection of the much wanted long-spurred pink and rose shades. 5 pkts., \$1.00.....   | 25       |
| 1199 <b>Collection</b> containing a packet each of the above 7 named sorts, 75 cts.   |          |
| 1206 <b>Dreer's Long-spurred Hybrids.</b> A beautiful strain comprising shades and combinations of blue, white, yellow, orange, scarlet and bright rose-pink, in large flowers with long spurs. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts. .... | 15       |
| 1207 <b>Double Flowering</b> , all colors mixed. Per $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 30 cts.....   | 10       |
| 1210 <b>Single Flowering</b> , all colors mixed. Per $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 25 cts.....   | 10       |
| <b>Auricula (Primula Auricula)</b>  |          |
| 1500 A well-known favorite of great beauty; seed saved from splendid choice mixed varieties; half-hardy perennial; 6 inches.....  | 25       |



DREER'S LONG-SPURRED AQUILEGIA (COLUMBINE)

**Balsam (Lady Slipper)**

This favorite annual can be sown any time during the early summer, and will bloom profusely up until frost.

PER PKT.

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| 1540 <b>Double Camellia Flowered.</b> Finest mixed. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 25 cts..... | \$0 10 |
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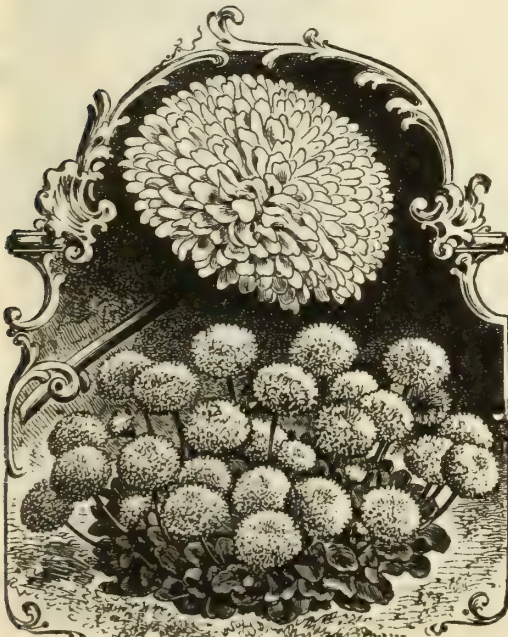
**Baptisia (False Indigo)**

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| 1541 <b>Australis.</b> A beautiful hardy perennial herbaceous plant, producing pea-shaped flowers on spikes 6 inches long. Bright blue; $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet..... | 15 |
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**Bellis (English Daisy)**

A favorite perennial which will stand the winter if given the protection of a little litter. In bloom from early spring until well on in the summer. Easily raised from seed, which may be sown any time from spring till August. For best results, new plants should be raised from seed each year. The following are the finest double flowering kinds, selected after careful test out of over twenty sorts:

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| 1591 <b>Giant Rose.</b> Each plant produces but a few flowers, but these are of enormous size, almost as large as a good-sized Aster..... | 15 |
| 1593 <b>Giant White.</b> Same as the above except in color.....   | 15 |
| 1594 <b>Longfellow.</b> Large, double pink flowers.....   | 10 |
| 1595 <b>Double Quilled.</b> Double quilled flowers in mixture, containing red, pink and white.....  | 15 |
| 1596 <b>Ranunculiflora Alba.</b> A splendid type, with densely double pure white flowers, not very large, but very free-flowering.....    | 15 |
| 1597 <b>Ranunculiflora Rosea.</b> Identical to the preceding, except in color, which is a bright rosy pink.....                           | 15 |
| 1598 <b>The Bride, or Improved Snowball.</b> A fine large double free-flowering pure white.....   | 10 |
| 1600 <b>Double Mixed.</b> A fine mixture, containing all the colors. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts.....                                       | 10 |



BELLIS PERENNIS—DOUBLE DAISY



**Bocconia (Plume Poppy, or Tree Celandine)**

PER PKT.

- 611 **Cordata.** Effective, hardy perennial, for single specimens or groups on lawns. Foliage glaucous green; bears freely spikes 2 to 3 feet long of cream colored flowers; 5 feet; easily raised from seed.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts. . . . \$0 10

**Campanula Medium or Canterbury Bells**

The seeds should be sown in finely prepared, rich soil—the colors in separate rows—and if the weather is dry, they should be given a thorough watering late every afternoon. The little plants should be transplanted to the places where they are to bloom the following summer, early in October. Some evergreen branches, or a little straw or coarse hay, thrown over them when the ground begins to freeze, makes all the winter covering these plants require.

**Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bells**

(Campanula Medium Calycanthema)

This is unquestionably the finest type of this old-fashioned and much prized garden plant. They differ from the ordinary type in having an extra large calyx, which is of the same color as the flower, giving the appearance of a cup and saucer. They are effective either in the garden or grown in pots for conservatory or table decoration.

PER PKT.

- 1735 **Calycanthema Blue.** A fine clear shade \$0 15  
 1736 — **Rose Pink.** Delicate rosy-pink . . . . 15  
 1738 — **White.** Pure white . . . . . 15  
 1740 — **Finest Mixed.** All colors of the Cup and Saucer type.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 75 cts. . . . . 10  
 1734 **Calycanthema Fl. Pl.** (Double Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bells). A new type from a celebrated French hybridizer, contains all colors. . . . . 25



CANTERBURY BELLS

**Single Canterbury Bells**

Campanula Medium

The old-fashioned sort with beautiful, large bell-shaped blossoms; we offer four distinct colors and mixed, as follows:

	PER PKT.		PER PKT.
1744 <b>Single Dark Blue.</b> . . . . .	\$0 10	1746 <b>Single Rose.</b> . . . . .	\$0 10
1745 — <b>Light Blue.</b> . . . . .	10	1747 — <b>White.</b> . . . . .	10
A packet of each of the four colors, 30 cts.			
1748 <b>Single Mixed.</b> All colors. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 25 cts. . . . .	5		
1741 <b>Double Mixed.</b> All the double-flowering medium varieties. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts. . . . .	10		

**Campanulas or Bellflowers**

Well known, beautiful hardy herbaceous perennials, bearing a great profusion of attractive bell-shaped flowers, thriving best in light, rich soil; some of the varieties flower the first season if sown early.

PER PKT.

- 1721 **Carpatica Blue** (*Carpathian Hare Bell*). Free-flowering hardy perennial, continuing in bloom the whole season; color clear blue; grows 6 inches high; especially good for edging.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. . . . . \$0 10  
 1720 — **Alba.** The white-flowered form of the above.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. . . . . 10  
 1724 **Persicifolia Grandiflora Blue** (*Peach Bells*). Undoubtedly one of the finest of the hardy Bellflowers; grows 2 to 3 feet high, with large blue flowers. . . . . 15  
 1725 — — **Alba.** The white-flowered Peach Bells. . . . . 15  
 1728 **Pyramidalis Blue** (*The Chimney Bellflower*). A beautiful stately hardy plant, either for garden or pot culture; blue salver-shaped flowers, 4 to 5 feet.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. . . . . 10  
 1729 — **Alba.** Same as above, but with white flowers.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. . . . . 10  
 1731 **Rotundifolia** (*Blue Bells of Scotland*). We have been fortunate in securing a limited quantity of seed of this much prized variety. . . . . 25

CAMPANULA PYRAMIDALIS  
(Chimney Bellflower)



**Calendula (Pot Marigold)**

This is the "Marygold" of Shakespeare's time; one of the best and showiest free-flowering hardy annuals, growing in any good garden soil, producing a fine effect in beds or mixed borders. Seeds sown at any time during the early summer will flower freely in a few weeks time; valuable also for pot culture; blooming freely in winter and early spring.

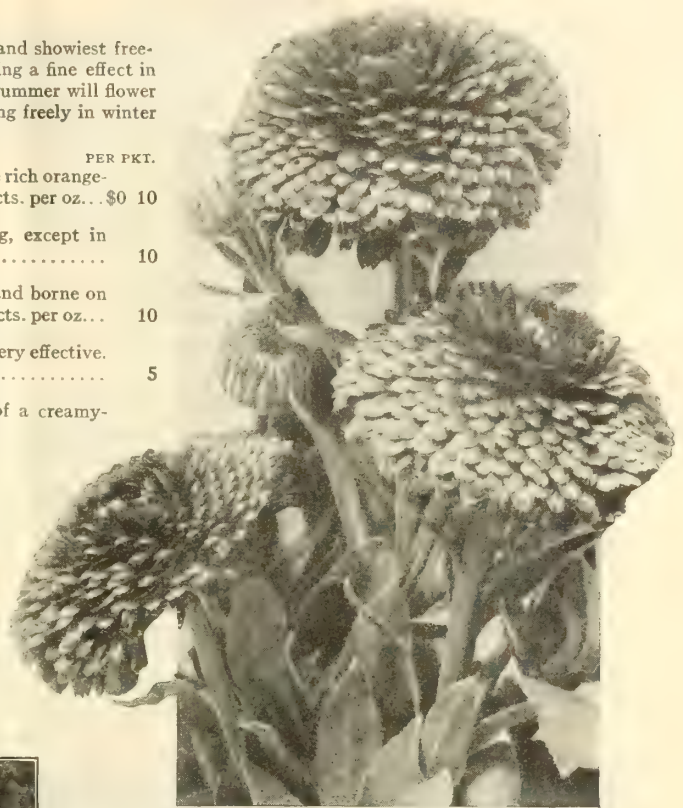
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| 1682 <b>Orange King.</b> An extra fine strain of this splendid double rich orange-red variety, producing flowers over 3 inches in diameter. 40 cts. per oz... | \$0 10   |
| 1686 <b>Lemon King.</b> Identical in every way to the preceding, except in color, which is a rich lemon-yellow. 40 cts. per oz.....                           | 10       |
| 1684 <b>Golden King.</b> Rich golden-yellow flowers of large size, and borne on long, strong stems, making it of special value for cutting. 40 cts. per oz... | 10       |
| 1681 <b>Meteor.</b> Large double flowers, striped orange and cream; very effective. Oz., 30 cts.....  | 5        |
| 1683 <b>Nankeen.</b> A very distinct variety, the double flowers of a creamy-yellow, slightly flushed apricot. Oz., 30 cts.....                               | 5        |
| 1687 <b>Favorite.</b> This is the lightest colored of the double sorts, the petals being almost white margined clear yellow. Oz., 30 cts.....                 | 5        |
| 1689 <b>Collection.</b> One packet each of the above 6 sorts, 35 cts.   |          |
| 1688 <b>Collection.</b> One ounce each of the above 6 sorts...  | 1 75     |
| 1690 <b>Mixed.</b> All the double sorts. Oz., 25 cts.....   | 5        |

**Cerastium (Snow in Summer)**

- 1911 **Tomentosum.** A very pretty dwarf, white-leaved edging plant, bearing small white flowers; hardy perennial. Per pkt., 15 cts.



GIANT HYACINTH-FLOWERED OR IMPROVED EMPRESS CANDYTUFT



KING CALENDULAS

**Candytuft (Iberis Umbellata)**

The annual Candytufts are indispensable for cutting. All the varieties look best in beds or masses. Seed sown in April, flowers in June; successive sowings should be made at intervals. Hardy and easy to grow. 1 foot.

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| 1751 <b>Carmine.</b> Bright carmine rose. Oz., 50 cts....  | \$0 10   |
| 1752 <b>Crimson.</b> Rich deep shade. Oz., 40 cts.....   | 10       |
| 1753 <b>Giant Hyacinth-flowered or Improved Empress.</b> A wonderfully improved strain of the popular Empress Candytuft, forming much branched plants about 18 inches high, each branch terminated by an immense spike of very large individual pure white flowers. Per ½ oz., 40 cts.; oz., 75 cts..... | 10       |
| 1755 <b>White Fragrant.</b> Small white flowers every freely produced and very sweetly scented. Oz., 40 cts..  | 10       |
| 1757 <b>Lavender.</b> Delicate rosy-lavender. Oz., 40 cts..  | 10       |
| 1758 <b>Rose Cardinal.</b> Brilliant deep rosy-red; one of the most effective for bedding. Oz., 60 cts.....  | 10       |
| 1759 <b>Collection.</b> Containing a packet each of the above 6 sorts.....   | 40       |
| 1760 <b>Mixed.</b> A splendid mixture containing all the colors. Oz., 30 cts.....  | 10       |

**Cheiranthus**

- 1915 **Allionii (Siberian Wallflower).** A very pretty biennial growing about 12 inches high with heads of brilliant orange flowers from May to mid-summer. Very effective in the rockery..... 10



## Carnation

Carnations are general favorites for their delicious fragrance and richness of color. They are indispensable both for greenhouse culture in winter and for the garden in summer.

- 1850 **Hardy Border Double Mixed.** A good hardy strain for outdoor culture, flowering the second season and producing a mass of flowers in a great variety of colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. . . . . \$0 15
- 1831 **Chabaud's Everblooming.** Raised by a famous French specialist. Blooms in five months after being sown, and continues to flower in the greatest profusion indefinitely. Mixed colors. . . . . 25
- 1820 **Marguerite Mixed.** A quick-flowering strain; double flowers in great variety of colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 40 cts. . . . . 10
- 1830 **Giant Marguerite Mixed.** An improved large flowering strain.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. . . . . 15

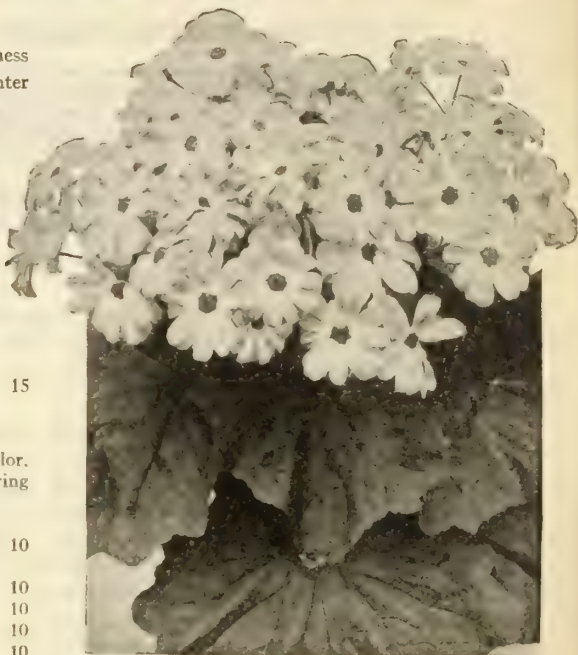
## Centaurea Cyanus (Cornflower)

These are also known as Bachelor's Buttons, Blue Bottle, Ragged Sailor, Bluet, etc., can be sown any time during the early summer for late flowering or in autumn for early spring flowering.

- 1881 **Double Blue.** The popular intense rich cornflower blue.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. . . . . \$0 10
- 1882 **Double Rose Pink.** A splendid variety for cutting; color clear rose-pink.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. . . . . 10
- 1883 **Double White.** Densely double pure white.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. . . . . 10
- 1884 **Double Maroon.** Very rich and glossy.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. . . . . 10
- 1885 **Double Mauve.** A beautiful shade.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. . . . . 10
- 1886 **Double Rosy-red.** Very attractive.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. . . . . 10
- 1889 **Collection** of a packet each of above 6 colors, 40 cts.
- 1888 **Collection** of  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. each of above 6 colors, \$1.25.
- 1890 **Double-flowered Mixed.** All colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 50 cts. . . . . 10
- 1904 **Montana (Perennial Corn Flower).** Grows 2 feet high bearing large violet-blue flowers from July to September.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 40 cts. . . . . 10



SHASTA DAISY ALASKA



DREER'S PRIZE DWARF CINERARIA

## Chrysanthemum

(Shasta and Moonpenny Daisies)

PER PKT.

- 1946 **Maximum King Edward VII (Moonpenny Daisy).** Considered the finest of all, with flowers of extraordinary size, of purest white, perfect form, and exceedingly free-flowering. A splendid addition to this useful hardy perennial.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. . . . . \$0 10
- 1948 **Shasta Daisy Alaska.** A splendid hardy perennial variety with flowers rarely less than five inches across, of the purest glistening white, with broad overlapping petals, and borne on long strong stems, a beautiful cut flower, remaining in good condition a week or more. 5 pkts., \$1.00. . . . . 25
- 1950 **Shasta Daisy Mixed.** A general mixture saved from a large number of extra choice hybrids, and certain to produce a large number of varieties of great merit.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. . . . . 15

## Cineraria Hybrida

Beautiful flowering plants for the house or conservatory during the spring months.

Seed should be sown from May to September for succession. Where only one sowing is made, July should be preferred. Cinerarias grow so freely that the seedlings may go straight from the seed-pans to thumb-pots. After transplanting, place in a cold frame facing north, if possible. When the pots become full of roots, shift into larger ones till the flowering size is reached. Our prize strain is justly celebrated for all good qualities, being especially noted for size, coloring and texture.

- 1963 **Dreer's Prize Dwarf.** Dwarf compact plants not over a foot high, with immense heads of large individual flowers in a great range of beautiful colors. . . . . \$0 50
- 1964 **Dreer's Prize Tall.** Of taller growth than the above, with flowers of extraordinary size. . . . . 50
- 1961 **Matador.** The new large-flowering scarlet, which adds considerable life and brilliancy to a collection. . . . . 50
- 1966 **Stellata (Star Cineraria).** A charming variety, with large spreading panicles of starry flowers in the same variety of colors as the ordinary Cineraria; the extreme grace and elegance of the plant and flowers make them wonderfully effective for the decoration of the house and conservatory, and especially so for church decoration; also useful for cutting. . . . . 25



## Coreopsis

2071 **Lanceolata Grandiflora.** This is one of the finest of hardy plants, with large, showy bright yellow flowers, produced in the greatest abundance from June till frost. As a cut flower they stand near the head among hardy plants, having long stems and lasting in good condition a week or more. Easily grown from seed.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts.; per pkt., 10 cts.

2072 **Lanceolata Grandiflora Fl. Pl.** (*Double-flowering Coreopsis*). *Coreopsis Lanceolata* has for a long time been a gem in the perennial border and one never grows tired of the masses of blooms which it produces which are decorative in the garden and invaluable as cut flowers. This new double and semi-double form is just as easy to manage and the extra petalage adds a further charm to the flower. Per pkt., 25 cts.

## Cyclamen

Charming house plants, with beautiful foliage, and rich-colored fragrant flowers; universal favorites for winter and spring blooming. Seed may be sown any time during the summer or autumn.

PER PKT.

2120 <b>Persicum.</b> A very fine strain. Per 100 seeds, \$1.00.	\$0 15
2122 <b>Giant Salmon.</b> Very bright.....	35
2124 — <b>Daybreak.</b> Soft shell-pink with deep rose eye...	35
2125 — <b>Pure White</b> .....	35
2126 — <b>White</b> with carmine eye.....	35
2127 — <b>Dark Blood-red</b> .....	35
2128 — <b>Delicate Rose</b> with deep crimson eye .....	35
2139 <b>Collection</b> of a pkt. each of the above 6 sorts, \$2.00.	
2130 <b>Giant Finest Mixed.</b> Per 100 seeds, \$2.00.....	25
2123 <b>Butterfly.</b> In this type the edges of the flowers are beautifully fringed or waved. Mixed colors, 3 pkts., \$1.00.....	35



NEW DOUBLE-FLOWERING COREOPSIS  
LANCEOLATA GRANDIFLORA

## Delphinium (Hardy Perennial Larkspur)

Seed may be sown any time during the summer or early autumn when weather conditions are favorable.

PER PKT.

- 2240 **Gold Medal Hybrids.** This is one of our most important specialties, and is unquestionably the finest strain of mixed hybrids ever offered. The plants are of strong, vigorous habit, with large flowers on spikes two feet and over long, the majority running in the lighter shades of blue. Per  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 60 cts.; per oz., \$2.00. \$0 15
- 2218 **Belladonna** (*Everblooming Hardy Larkspur*). This is the freest and most continuous blooming Hardy Larkspur. The clear turquoise blue of its flowers is not equalled for delicacy and beauty. A really exquisite variety. 3 pkts. for 50 cts. .... 20
- 2221 **Bellamosum.** This is a rich, deep blue form of the popular light blue Belladonna, having the same free-blooming and other good qualities; 5 pkts., \$1.00.... 25
- 2242 **Chinense** (*Blue Butterfly*). A distinct and neat variety growing about 18 inches high, with fine feathery foliage, and producing freely spikes of large blossoms of intense gentian-blue.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 40 cts. .... 10
- 2241 — **Album.** The white flowered form.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 40 cts.. 10
- 2246 **Formosum.** Beautiful spikes of rich blue flowers, with a white centre,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet..... 15
- 2238 **Double Hybrids.** Finest double flowering, mixed in great variety of charming colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 75 cts.... 15



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NEW GIANT SHIRLEY FOXGLOVES

### Hardy Garden Pinks

(*Dianthus Plumarius*, etc.)

These varieties are well adapted for beds and borders; delightful, refreshing, spicy odor; should be in every garden where cut flowers are wanted, and make a fine edging to a hardy border. PER PKT.

- 2335 **Caesius** (*Cheddar Pink*). A splendid rock plant, forming dense tufts 3 inches high and bright rosy-pink flowers in May and June.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 50 cts. ....\$0 15
- 2340 **Plumarius** (*Grass Pinks, Scotch Pink, or Pheasant-eye Pink*). A beautiful single hardy Pink, with fringed edged flowers of various colors.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts. .... 10
- 2337 **Plumarius Fl. Pl.** (*Double Hardy Garden Pinks*). Double and semi-double varieties in beautiful colors. 2 pkts., 25 cts. .... 15
- 2336 **Plumarius Semperflorens** (*Everblooming Hardy Garden Pinks*). Very beautiful, sweet-scented, double, semi-double and single flowers in great diversity of color. .... 25
- 2342 **Latifolius Atrococcineus Fl. Pl.** (*Everblooming Hybrid Sweet William*). This is a cross between an annual pink and Sweet William, combining the free and continuous blooming qualities of the former with the hardiness of the latter; in color an intense velvety crimson scarlet. 2 pkts., 25 cts. .... 15
- 2343 **Latifolius Double Mixed**. In addition to the brilliant crimson-scarlet sort offered above, this mixture contains purple, violet and rose.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts. .... 10

### Digitalis (Foxglove)

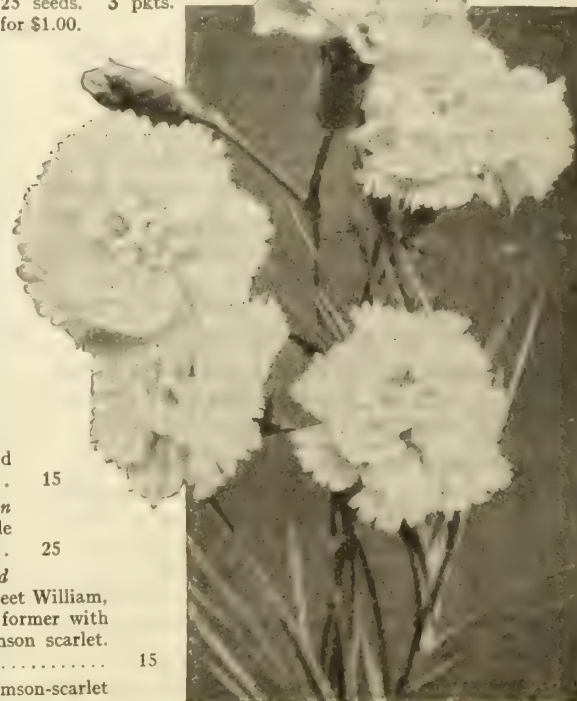
Handsome and highly ornamental hardy plants of stately growth, succeeding under almost all conditions, and with but little attention will give a wealth of flowers during June and July. They are now used extensively with good effect for naturalizing in shrubberies, the edge of woods and other half shady places; 3 to 5 feet.

**Gloxiniaeflora.** This is a fine strain of the ordinary Foxglove *D. purpurea*, with handsome spotted Gloxinia-like flowers on long spikes.

- 2356 — **Purple.**  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts. .... PER PKT. \$0 10
- 2357 — **Rose.**  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts. .... 10
- 2358 — **White.**  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts. .... 10
- 2360 — **Mixed.** All colors.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 30 cts. .... 10
- 2361 **Giant Shirley.** The finest strain of Foxgloves yet introduced. 2 pkts., 25 cts. .... 15
- 2366 **Grandiflora.** Spikes of light yellow flowers.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts. .... 10
- 2367 **Maculata Superba.** An extra choice strain of beautifully spotted sorts.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 30 cts. .... 10
- 2370 **Monstrosa** (*Mammoth Foxglove*). Long spikes surmounted by one enormous flower; all colors mixed.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts. .... 10

### New Perpetual-Flowering Hardy Pinks (*Dianthus Allwoodi*)

- 2334 We have offered plants of this beautiful strain of Hardy Pinks for several years, and are again able to offer the seed, our supply of which comes to us direct from the introducer, a noted English specialist. It is expected that the seed will produce an average of 75% double, deliciously clove-scented flowers in many colors. They are perfectly hardy, and flower continuously from spring until late in the autumn. 35 cts. per pkt. of about 25 seeds. 3 pkts. for \$1.00.

NEW PERPETUAL-FLOWERING HARDY PINKS  
(*Dianthus Allwoodi*)



**Echinops (Globe Thistle)**

PER PKT.

- 2404 **Ritro.** Striking hardy perennial plants, with handsome silvery thistle-like foliage and fine steel-blue flowers in round heads, which can be used for cutting. Excellent for the back of the hardy border among other tall plants; 3 to 5 feet. \$0 10

**Eupatorium (Thorough Wort)**

Strong-growing, hardy perennials, well suited for naturalizing, and deserve a place in every hardy border; they will grow and thrive in almost any situation.

- 2442 **Ageratoides.** A very useful variety, growing 3 to 4 feet high, with dense heads of minute white flowers from August to October. 10
- 2441 **Fraseri.** A very pretty dwarf variety, producing clusters of snow-white flowers; fine for cutting and bouquets; 1½ feet. 10

**Gaillardia (Blanket Flower)**

(Hardy Perennial Varieties)

The following are among the showiest and most effective hardy perennial plants, and should find a place in every hardy border. They thrive in almost any position or soil, require little or no protection and take care of themselves. They begin flowering early, continuing a mass of bloom until frost; fine for cutting; 2 feet.

- 2503 **Kermesina Splendens.** Centre rich crimson, narrow canary-yellow border. ¼ oz., 40 cts. 15
- 2502 **Grandiflora Compacta.** A compact variety, forming bushy plants 12 to 15 inches high, and bearing its long-stemmed flowers well above the foliage. In coloring the flowers are as rich and varied as those of the tall-growing sorts. ¼ oz., 40 cts. 15
- 2505 **Grandiflora Copper-red.** A striking new color in this popular perennial. 3 pkts., 50 cts. 20
- 2510 **Grandiflora Superb Mixed.** Our own saving; splendid combinations of crimson and gold in great variety. ¼ oz., 30 cts. 10

**Geum (Avens)**

- 2541 **Atrosanguineum Fl. Pl.** Beautiful hardy perennial, bearing profusely large, showy double dark-crimson flowers all through the summer; an elegant flower for bouquets. ¼ oz., 50 cts. 10
- 2542 **Mrs. Bradshaw.** Large double brilliant orange scarlet; in flower throughout the entire summer. 15



GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA

**Grevillea (Silk Oak)**

PER PKT.

- 2681 **Robusta.** A very beautiful and graceful decorative plant with fern-like foliage; excellent for table decoration; easily raised from seed; producing good sized plants in a short time; hardy in Florida and California, where it is popular as an ornamental tree. \$0 10

**Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)**

Pretty free-flowering elegant plants, succeeding in any garden soil. Their misty white panicles of bloom are largely used for mixing with other cut flowers.

- 2691 **Elegans alba grandiflora.** This is an improved large flowering pure white form of the annual Baby's Breath, of free easy growth, and grown by the acre in the suburbs of Paris and London for use with other cut flowers. Several sowings should be made during the season to keep up a supply. Per oz., 25 cts. 10
- 2690 **Elegans Delicate Pink.** A pretty blush pink form of the above, and equally as valuable for cutting. Per oz., 30 cts. 10
- 2694 **Paniculata.** White flowers, fine for bouquets; one of the favorite hardy perennials, 2 feet. ¼ oz., 30 cts. 10
- 2695 **Paniculata Double.** One of the most important hardy perennials of recent introduction. The plant grows from 3 to 3½ feet high, bearing its pretty little double white flowers in much-branched panicles which, when cut, can be used to great advantage with other flowers or by themselves, as they retain their beauty for months. It is also a most desirable addition to the hardy border. 3 pkts. for 50 cts. 20



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HELIANTHEMUM

**Helianthemum (Sneeze Wort)**

Strong-growing hardy perennials, succeeding in any soil, and useful in the hardy border, giving an enormous crop of flowers in late summer.

- 2711 **Autumnale Superbum.** Golden-yellow flowers; 5 to 6 feet. . . . . \$0 10
- 2713 **Riverton Gem.** Flowers opening old gold, changing as they mature to wallflower red; 3 feet. 2 pkts., 25 cts. 15
- 2714 **Riverton Beauty.** Rich lemon-yellow, with a large purplish-black cone. 2 pkts., 25 cts. . . . . 15

**Helianthus (Hardy Perennial Sunflowers)**

- 2710 **Mixed.** Contains the finest single-flowering hardy perennial sorts. As subjects for the hardy border as well as for cutting they are of great value. . . . . 15

**Helianthemum (Rock, or Sun Rose)**

- 2717 **Mutabile.** Exceedingly pretty low growing, ever-green plants, forming broad clumps, and which during their flowering season, July to September, are quite hidden by a mass of bloom; well adapted for the front of the border, the rockery, or a dry, sunny bank. Choice mixed varieties. . . . . 10

**Heliopsis (Orange Sunflower)**

- 2731 **Pitcheriana.** A desirable hardy herbaceous plant, growing from 3 to 4 feet high, beginning to flower early in the season, and continuing the entire summer. The flowers are of a beautiful deep golden-yellow color about 2 inches in diameter of very thick texture and very graceful for cutting  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25 cts. . . . . 10
- 2732 **Scabra Zinniaeflora.** A new double flowering form bearing golden-yellow Zinnia-like flowers. In addition to being a very showy plant in the hardy border, it is one of the best perennial plants for cutting. 2 pkts., 25 cts. . . . . 15

**Heuchera (Coral Bells or Alum Root)**

PER PKT.

- 2761 **Sanguinea.** One of the finest hardy perennials. The flowers are of a rich, bright coral-red color; the leaves light green and slightly hairy. Excellent for cutting. . . . . \$0 25

**New Giant Hibiscus**

A wonderfully improved form of our native Marshmallow, in which flowers of enormous size, frequently 10 to 12 inches in diameter, have been developed. The colorings comprise rich dark red, soft mallow-pink and pure white; the plants grow from 5 to 8 feet high and are very floriferous, blooming from early in July until late in autumn; and are perfectly hardy. The seed we offer has been saved from our own plants.

- 2776 **New Giant Dark-red.** . . . . . 10
- 2777 — — **Mallow Pink.** . . . . . 10
- 2778 — — **Pure White.** . . . . . 10
- 2775 — — **Mixed.** All colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts. . . . . 10

**Honesty (Moonwort, Satin Flower)**

- 2801 Hardy biennials, admired for their silvery seed pouches, which are used for house ornaments, as they present a beautiful and rather curious appearance; 2 feet.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. . . . . 10

**Iberis (Hardy Candytuft)**

- 2824 **Gibraltarica Hybrida.** White shading to lilac. . . . . 10

**Iris (Flowering Flag)**

- 2888 **Germanica (German Iris).** One of the most popular hardy Spring flowering plants. Mixed colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. . . . . 10

- 2890 **Kaempferi (Japanese Iris).** The seeds we offer have been saved from an unrivalled collection, and should produce only varieties of the highest merit. Blooms the second year from seed.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. . . . . 10



HELIOPSIS SCABRA ZINNIAEFLOA



## Hollyhock

One of the most majestic of hardy plants, and a clump or line in any garden gives an effect not attainable with any other plant. For planting among shrubbery or forming a background for other flowers, it is without equal. Seed sown any time before midsummer will produce fine plants for flowering next year.

### Double Varieties

The seed offered under this head has been saved from the finest double flowers only and is sure to produce satisfactory results:

	PER ¼ OZ.	PER PKT.
2782 <b>Maroon</b> .....	\$0 50	\$0 10
2783 <b>Bright Rose</b> .....	50	10
2784 <b>Bright Red</b> .....	50	10
2785 <b>Salmon-rose</b> .....	50	10
2786 <b>White</b> .....	50	10
2787 <b>Yellow</b> .....	50	10
2788 <b>Collection</b> of a packet each of the above 6 colors, 50 cts.		
2790 <b>Extra Choice Double Mixed</b> . Per ¼ oz., 40 cts.....		10
2781 <b>"Allegheny."</b> Mammoth flowers, wonderfully formed of loosely arranged fringed petals. The colors vary from the palest shrimp-pink to deep red. The plants are of strong growth, sending up spikes 6 to 7 feet high. Per ¼ oz., 40 cts.....		10
2791 <b>Newport Pink</b> . One of our own introductions, and awarded a Certificate of Merit by the Royal Horticultural Society of England, an unusual honor. It is the finest pure pink, double variety, exquisite shade, flowers very double. Per ¼ oz., 60 cts...		15

### Single Varieties

Many prefer the single-flowering Hollyhocks. They are usually of freer growth than the doubles, and present a very handsome appearance when covered with their artistic blossoms.

	PER PKT.		PER PKT.
2793 <b>Rose</b> .....	\$0 10	2796 <b>Red</b> .....	\$0 10
2795 <b>Pink</b> .....	10	2797 <b>White</b> .....	10
2799 <b>Collection</b> of a packet each of the above 4 colors, 30 cts.			
2800 <b>Mixed</b> . All colors. ½ oz., 40 cts.....			10



LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS (Hardy Everlasting Pea)



NEWPORT PINK HOLLYHOCK

## Lathyrus (Everlasting or Hardy Sweet Pea)

	PER PKT.
2954 <b>Latifolius "White Pearl."</b> The finest white.....	\$0 15
2955 — <b>Pink Beauty</b> . Rosy pink.....	10
2960 — <b>Mixed</b> . All colors. Per oz., 60 cts.....	10

## Lavender (Lavandula Vera)

2971 Well-known, sweet-scented, hardy perennials; should be extensively grown in the mixed border; 3 feet. ¼ oz., 25 cts.....	10
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## Linaria

2991 <b>Cymbalaria</b> ( <i>Kenilworth Ivy</i> , or <i>Mother of Thousands</i> ). Lavender and purple. A charming, neat, hardy perennial trailing plant, suitable for baskets, vases, pots and rock work.....	15
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### Collection of Seeds of Hardy Perennials

3549 This collection contains a packet each of twelve popular sorts including Columbine, Larkspur, Foxglove, Sweet Rocket, Sweet William, etc.

Price 75 cents.



LUPINUS (Lupine)

**Linum (Flax)** PER PKT.

- 3003 **Perenne.** Hardy perennial variety, with bright blue flowers; 18 inches;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts. ....\$0 10

**Lobelia**

- 3031 **Cardinalis (Cardinal Flower).** A native variety, with spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers; fine hardy border plants; 3 feet. .... 15

**Lupinus (Lupine)**

**Polyphyllus Sorts.** Effective hardy perennials, succeeding in any good garden soil; blooms in May and June; 3 feet. We offer as under:

	PER PKT.		PER PKT.
3052 <b>Rose</b> .....	\$0 15	3054 <b>Blue</b> .....	\$0 10
3053 <b>White</b> .....	10	3055 <b>Moerheimi.</b> Rose and pink..	15

A packet each of the 4 colors, 40 cts.

- 3058 **Mixed.** All colors. Oz., 30 cts. .... 10

**New Hybrid Hardy Lupines**

(*Lupinus Polyphyllus Hybridus*)

- 3060 These are the result of many years of careful crossing and selecting by a celebrated English specialist and in addition to the usual blue, white and rose colors, contain many unusual lilac, pink, purple, yellow and other tints. This strain received an Award of Merit from the Royal Horticultural Society of England, one of the most important introductions in hardy perennials in recent years. 25 cts. per pkt.; 5 pkts., for \$1.00.

**Lychnis (Rose Campion, Jerusalem Cross)**

Handsome hardy perennial plants of easy culture, for massing in beds and borders.

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|   |  | PER PKT. |
| 3061 <b>Chalcedonica.</b> Fine scarlet flowers; 2 feet. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 30 cts. .... |  | \$0 10   |
| 3062 <b>Haageana.</b> Brilliant orange, scarlet, crimson, etc.; in mixture; 1 foot..... |  | 15       |
| 3068 <b>Viscaria Splendens.</b> Bright rose-red, very showy. 1 foot.....                |  | 10       |

**Lythrum (Loose-strife)**

- 3071 **Roseum Superbum.** A very pretty hardy perennial; growing about 3 feet high, and produces spikes of rosy-flowers from July to September. .... 10

**Marigold**

These favorite free flowering annuals can be sown up to the end of July and will give a good crop of flowers within 8 weeks.

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| 3088 <b>Collection Double African.</b> Containing a packet each of 6 fine varieties.....                                    | 50 |
| 3090 <b>Double African Mixed.</b> Containing all of the colors; 2 to 3 feet. Per $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 25 cts.....             | 10 |
| 3098 <b>Collection Double French.</b> Containing a packet each of 6 beautiful varieties.....                                | 40 |
| 3100 <b>French Mixed.</b> A splendid mixture saved from fine double flowers; all colors. Per $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 25 cts..... | 10 |

**Matricaria**

- 3121 **Capensis Alba Plena (Double White Feverfew).** Free-flowering plants, producing all season fine double white flowers. A fine bedding or pot plant; 18 inches.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts. .... 10

**Musa Ensete**

(Abyssinian Banana)

- 3221 A splendid plant for the open air in the summer, producing a most striking effect when planted singly or in groups. In our hot summer it luxuriates and attains gigantic proportions when freely supplied with manure and water. The seeds germinate easily if started in hot-bed. Tender perennial; 10 to 20 feet. 15 cts. per pkt. of 5 seeds; 25 seeds for 50 cts.



MATRICARIA



LYCHNIS CHALCEDONICA



**Mignonette (Reseda)**

A well-known fragrant favorite, and no garden is complete without a bed of Mignonette; sowings made in July will keep up a succession until frost; can also be grown in pots for winter and early spring flowering.

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| 3152 <b>Defiance.</b> Spikes and individual florets are of immense size. Of extraordinary keeping qualities, retaining their grace and fragrance until every bud opens. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 25 cts.....  | \$0 10   |
| 3153 <b>Golden Machet.</b> Distinct variety of Machet, with massive spikes of golden-yellow blossoms. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 25 cts.....  | 10       |
| 3154 <b>Red Goliath.</b> Of strong, yet compact habit, with rich green foliage; the giant trusses of flowers being borne on erect, strong, stiff stalks and surpassing all others in brilliancy of color; especially suited for house culture (See cut). $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts..... | 15       |
| 3158 <b>Machet.</b> Of dwarf pyramidal growth, bearing numerous flower stalks, highly colored and very fragrant; one of the best. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 25 cts.....  | 10       |
| 3162 <b>Salmon Queen.</b> Strong, robust habit, with fine spikes of bright salmon-red flowers, intensely fragrant; fine for outdoor culture. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 25 cts.....   | 10       |
| 3164 <b>White Goliath.</b> This splendid white variety has the same massive spikes of bloom as the red sort. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts....  | 15       |
| 3163 <b>Sweet-scented (Reseda Odorata).</b> The old variety with small spikes, but very sweetly scented. Per oz., 20 cts.....   | 5        |
| 3169 <b>Collection</b> of above 7 varieties of Mignonette.....  | 60       |



RED GOLIATH MIGNONETTE

**Myosotis (Forget-Me-Not)**

Few spring flowers are more admired than the lovely Forget-Me-Nots, which are especially effective when grown in masses. Perennials and hardy if given slight protection through the winter. Seed may be sown any time from spring till mid-summer. The Alpestris varieties and Dissitiflora come into bloom in April, and are largely used for bedding or borders in connection with spring-flowering bulbs, Pansies, etc. The Palustris sorts do not bloom till May, but continue till fall.

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| 3231 <b>Alpestris Royal Blue.</b> Rich indigo-blue flowers. The finest and most effective dark blue variety; 9 inches. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 40 cts.....                                 | \$0 10   |
| 3233 — <b>Robusta Grandiflora.</b> Of strong, sturdy growth, about 10 inches high, with good heads of clear Forget-Me-Not blue flowers. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 40 cts..                   | 10       |
| 3235 — <b>Victoria.</b> A favorite sort, with fine heads of large, clear, azure-blue flowers; plants bushy and compact; makes a fine edging or bed. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 60 cts.....    | 15       |
| 3239 — <b>Mixed.</b> A mixture of blue, rose and white-flowered varieties. Per $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 30 cts.....   | \$0 10   |
| 3236 <b>Dissitiflora.</b> Of dwarf, compact habit, with sprays of large, exquisite blue flowers, especially adapted for planting among spring-flowering bulbs.....                    | 15       |
| 3238 <b>Palustris Semperflorens.</b> An everblooming variety, beginning to flower in May and continuing till autumn. Large clear, blue flowers in pretty sprays. 2 pkts., 25 cts..... | 15       |



MYOSOTIS (Forget-Me-Not)

**Nemesia**

PER PKT.

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| 3401 <b>Dwarf Large-flowering Hybrids.</b> A very pretty annual, which does best in a cool position; the plants grow about a foot high, and the orchid-like flowers are very varied in color, including rose, yellow, blue, orange, etc. 2 pkts., 25 cts..... | \$0 15 |
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**Pentstemon (Beard Tongue)**

Highly useful and attractive perennials in the hardy border.

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| 3532 <b>Gloxinioides "Sensation."</b> As a bedding plant this takes rank with the Petunia, Phlox, etc. It grows about 2 feet high, every branch being a spike of large, Gloxinia-like flowers in a very wide range of bright colors, including rose, red, carmine, cherry pink, lilac, purple, etc. 2 pkts., 25 cts..... | 15 |
| 3533 <b>Barbatus Torreyii.</b> Spikes of brilliant coral red, very effective; June to August; 3 to 4 feet.....   | 10 |
| 3540 <b>Mixed.</b> A great variety of kinds and colors.....  | 10 |

**Hardy Perennial Phlox (P. Decussata)**

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| 3641 Hardy herbaceous perennials. The seed we send out has been saved from our own unrivalled collection, and is supplied in mixture only. Per $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 75 cts..... | 15 |
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**Physalis (Chinese Lantern Plant)**

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| 3646 <b>Francheti.</b> An ornamental plant, forming dense bushes about 2 feet high, producing freely its bright orange-scarlet lantern-like fruits, which can be cut and dried for winter bouquets; highly interesting..... | 10 |
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ROYAL EXHIBITION PANSY

## Dreer's Perfect Pansies

Pansies are too well known to require any description, as they are favorites with all. For best results you must start with a good strain. The finest Pansies are, as a rule, shy seeders, which accounts for the difference in the price of the various mixtures offered.

Pansy seed germinates and the plants grow more freely in the cool, early days of spring, and for summer-blooming should be sown by the latter part of April, or early in May, in the vicinity of Philadelphia. About the middle of August is the best time for starting Pansy seeds for early spring blooming, as this allows the plants to go into winter in vigorous condition. A soil containing a proportion of leaf mould, well enriched with well-decayed cow manure, will be the most satisfactory for the growing of this flower, and it should be well dug and made fine and level.

"Sow the seeds in drills, covering them not more than four times their diameter and firming the soil well above them. The seeds germinate in from eight to twelve days, and should not be allowed to dry out during this period. Covering the seed bed with newspapers will prevent this and hasten somewhat the period of germination.

As soon as the plants are up and large enough to handle, they should be thinned out or transplanted to stand nine inches apart in the rows. Thorough cultivation should be given from the start, as Pansies will not thrive when obliged to share the beds with a mass of weeds.

It is a mistake to plant Pansies in the shade of a tree or buildings. An open exposure, where the wind has a free sweep over the bed is far better, and Pansies so planted are free from the long, straggling branches which produce few and inferior flowers. During dry weather the bed should be watered daily.

### PANSIES IN MIXTURE

	PER PKT.		PER PKT.
3510 <b>Dreer's Royal Exhibition.</b> This is our finest mixture, both as regards size, texture and colorings. Special packets of 2000 seeds, \$1.50; regular packet . . .	\$0 50	3512 <b>Cassier's Giant.</b> A grand mixture of the finest blotched varieties; splendid in every way, being large in size and rich in coloring. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 75 cts. . . . .	\$0 25
3514 <b>Dreer's Premium.</b> This mixture comprises a large number of colorings, and is intended to supply the want of a first-class mixture at a moderate price. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., \$1.00	25	3517 <b>Mme. Perret.</b> A beautiful strain, which originated with a French specialist; flowers of large size, borne very freely in great diversity of colors, especially rich in red and wine shades. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 75 cts. . . . .	25
3516 <b>Masterpiece (Fringed Pansy).</b> Petals conspicuously curled or waved. The range of color is very extensive, the rich, dark, velvety shades predominating. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., \$1.00 . . . . .	25	3513 <b>Giant Parisian.</b> Of very large size and containing a great many fancy colors. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 60 cts. . . . .	15
3500 <b>Giant Trimardeau.</b> All colors. Per $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 50 cts.	10	3515 <b>English Finest Mixed.</b> $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 50 cts. . . . .	10
		3520 <b>Good Mixed.</b> All colors. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 40 cts. . . . .	10

### GIANT TRIMARDEAU PANSIES

We have discarded the ordinary Pansies in separate colors in favor of this type, which produces very large flowers, plants of strong, robust growth, and well adapted to the trying conditions of our climate.

	PER PKT.		PER PKT.
3481 <b>Giant Adonis.</b> Lavender blue . . . . .	\$0 10	3491 <b>Giant Lord Beaconsfield.</b> Deep purple violet, shading to white . . . . .	\$0 10
3482 <b>Giant Cardinal.</b> Rich red . . . . .	10	3496 <b>Giant Snow Queen.</b> Pure snow white . . . . .	10
3488 <b>Giant Golden Queen.</b> Pure, rich yellow . . . . .	10	3497 <b>Giant White.</b> Pure white, with purple eye . . . . .	10
3493 <b>Giant Royal Blue.</b> Rich, royal blue . . . . .	10	3498 <b>Giant Yellow.</b> Rich yellow, with dark centre . . . . .	10

3499 **Collection** containing a packet each of above 8 sorts, 60 cts.

### TUFTED PANSIES, OR VIOLAS

While the flowers of the Tufted Pansies are not so large as the regular type, yet they bloom so freely that they are superior to pansies where effect is wanted, the colors being particularly clear and distinct; they also bloom for a longer time. Seed sown in April produces flowering plants by June, and from then on until frost they are a sheet of bloom.

	PER PKT.		PER PKT.
4401 <b>Papilio (Butterfly Violet).</b> Lovely violet-lilac . . . . .	\$0 15	4405 <b>White Perfection.</b> A fine pure white . . . . .	\$0 15
4402 <b>Lutea Splendens.</b> Rich golden yellow . . . . .	15	4410 <b>Mixed.</b> A splendid mixture of the best varieties. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 75 cts. . . . .	10
4403 <b>Blue Perfection.</b> Deep purplish blue . . . . .	15		

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**Platycodon****(Balloon Flower, or Japanese Bellflower)**

One of the best hardy perennials, producing very showy flowers during the whole season. They form large clumps, and are excellent for planting in permanent borders or among shrubbery; easily raised from seed.

PER PKT.

3663 **Grandiflorum**. Large steel blue flowers.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 40 cts. ....\$0 103663 **Mariesi**. Large, open, bell-shaped flowers of a rich violet-blue; plant dwarf and compact.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 60 cts. .... 10**Polemonium (Jacob's Ladder)**3671 **Coeruleum**. Popular hardy perennial border plant, with bell-shaped bluish-purple flowers nearly 1 inch across; 2 feet; May to July.....\$0 10**Polyanthus (Primula Elatior)**

Showy, early spring, free-flowering plants, fine for either pot or outdoor culture; hardy perennials; 9 inches.

3677 **Invincible Giant**. A magnificent strain of this perfectly hardy and easily grown spring-flowering Primrose, representing the work of years of painstaking cross-breeding and selection by a Scotch specialist. Of strong, sturdy habit, and bearing immense trusses of large flowers on self-supporting stems 10 to 16 inches in length. Unquestionably the finest strain in cultivation, containing all colors from purest white to the richest crimson. 5 pkts., \$1.00. .... 253680 **English Mixed**. A fine grade; all colors. .... 15**Iceland Poppies (Papaver Nudicaule)**

Hardy perennials of graceful neat habit, with bright green fern-like foliage, formed in tufts, from which issues slender stalks about 12 inches high, bearing their brilliant flowers in endless profusion; most useful for cutting, for which purpose pick when in bud, and, if the seed pods are picked off, continue in flower the entire season. They remain evergreen throughout the winter, coming into bloom early the following spring.

3733 **Bright Yellow**.....\$0 103734 **Pure White**..... 103736 **Orange Scarlet**..... 103740 **Finest Mixed**. All colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. .... 103738 **New Hybrid Iceland**. The latest development in this lovely species, varying in color from sulphur yellow through different shades of orange to chamois and salmomy-rose, some of which are very striking..... 15

ORIENTAL POPPY

**Oriental Poppies****(Papaver Orientale)**

Oriental Poppies can be sown any time during the summer and early autumn. The plants disappear during July and August appearing again as soon as the weather gets cool. When this fall growth starts is the time they should be transplanted to their permanent flowering quarters. It is well to mark the places they are planted with a stake to insure the roots against disturbance during their annual resting period.

PER PKT.

3747 **Oriente (The Large Oriental Poppy)**. A charming summer-flowering hardy plant, producing numerous leafy stems about 2½ feet high, with large orange scarlet flowers; having a conspicuous black blotch on each petal, exceedingly showy.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 40 cts. ....\$0 103741 — **Oriflamme**. A gorgeous orange-scarlet; very large..... 153744 — **Princess Victoria**. A beautiful salmomy pink.. 153750 **Oriental Mixed Hybrids**. Saved from a large number of named sorts, embracing all of the colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. .... 15**Potentilla (Cinquofoil)**

Charming hardy perennial plants for the border, with brilliant single or double flowers, mostly in orange, red and crimson tones, that are produced in profusion from June to August; succeeds in any soil; 18 inches.

3775 **Double Hybrids**. All colors..... 253776 **Single Hybrids**. Many colors..... 15**Pueraria (Japanese Kudzu Vine)**3835 **Thunbergiana**. To this must be awarded first place as the fastest growing hardy climbing plant. It will grow 8 to 10 feet the first year from seed, and after it has become established there seems to be no limit to its growth, 50 feet in a single season being not unusual. Its foliage is large, and covers well; it bears small racemes of rosy-purple, pea-shaped blossoms towards the close of August. A splendid subject for covering permanently verandas, dead trees, etc.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 20 cts.. 10

ICELAND POPPIES



**Primula (Primrose)**

The charming and beautiful Chinese fringed Primroses and Obconica varieties are indispensable for winter or spring decorations in the home or conservatory. They are one of the most important winter-blooming pot plants. The seed we offer is of the highest merit, and has, as usual, been saved from the best strains obtainable. Florists and others report that they have never seen finer flowers than those produced from our seed. Can be sown at any time through the summer. The hardy varieties offered are also deserving of wide cultivation.

**Dreer's "Peerless" Large-flowering Chinese Primroses**

An extra choice free-flowering strain, flowers of largest size and beautifully fringed.

	PER PKT.
3785 <b>Peerless White.</b> Pure white.....	\$0 35
3787 <b>Peerless Pink.</b> Soft pink.....	35
3783 <b>Peerless Scarlet.</b> Rich scarlet.....	35
3786 <b>Peerless Crimson.</b> Rich luminous crimson.....	35

A packet each of the above 4 sorts for \$1.00.

3800 **Peerless Mixed.** This mixture contains nothing but the finest fringed large-flowering sorts, and cannot fail to give entire satisfaction..... 25

3791 **Giant Flowering.** This magnificent strain is quite distinct, being of more robust growth and producing immense trusses of extra large, finely fringed flowers in many new and novel colors; as a pot plant for the house or conservatory this is unequalled. 3 pkts. for \$1.00..... 35

**Rosmarinus (Rosemary)**

3895 **Officinalis.** An old favorite aromatic herb, delightfully fragrant, flowers light blue, grows about 2 feet high, should be planted in a warm dry situation, and given a little protection.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts..... 10



PRIMULA OBCONICA GRANDIFLORA



DREER'S "PEERLESS" CHINESE PRIMROSES

**Various Primroses**

PER PKT.



PRIMULA MALACOIDES  
(Improved Baby Primrose)

3824 **Kewensis.** This variety is most attractive, with pleasing bright yellow flowers borne on long stems. It is delightfully fragrant and stands well as a house plant. \$0 25

3826 **Malacoides** (Improved Baby Primrose). A fine house plant, flowers delicate lilac... 15

3828 — **Rosea.** A beautiful bright rose variety..... 25

1500 **Auricula.** A well-known favorite of great beauty; seed saved from splendid choice mixed varieties; 6 inches..... 25

2112 **Cowslip, Invincible Giant.** (Primula Veris). Quite distinct from the ordinary Cowslip, both in the stronger growth of the plant and in the massive flowers, which are borne on stout stems 12 to 15 inches high. The colors range from pure yellow and orange to the deepest scarlet and crimson. 5 pkts., \$1.00..... 25

3825 **Japonica** (Japanese Primrose). Bright and showy flowers; borne in whorls on stems 6 to 9 inches long; mixed colors..... 15

**Polyanthus** (Primula Elatior). Offered on page 15.

3830 **Vulgaris** (English Primrose). Canary-yellow, fragrant. 2 pkts., 25 cts..... 15

**Primula Obconica**

These are of the easiest culture in greenhouse or light window of dwelling house, flowering abundantly and continuously with little care, and should be sown in good porous loam. They will not germinate well in any compost containing peat or leaf mould. To develop the colors to the highest degree, grow in heavy soil, and at a temperature as near 60 degrees as possible. The Grandiflora varieties are the freest flowering, but lack the very large individual blooms of the newer Gigantea type.

3811 **Obconica Gigantea Kermesina.** Rich crimson..... \$0 25

3812 — — **Rosea.** Pure rose color..... 25

3815 — — **Mixed.** All colors..... 20

3816 — **Grandiflora Alba.** Pure white..... 20

3817 — — **Kermesina.** Bright crimson..... 20

3818 — — **Rosea.** Beautiful clear rose..... 20

3819 — — **Appleblossom.** Soft pink..... 20

3820 — — **Mixed.** All colors..... 15





PYRETHRUM HYBRIDUM

## Rudbeckia

(Cone Flower)

Indispensable plants for the hardy border; grow and thrive anywhere, giving a wealth of bloom, which are well suited for cutting.

PER PKT.

- 3902 **Newmani.** One of the finest of autumn-flowering perennials, bearing large flowers. Bright orange-yellow petals surrounding a large black cone.....\$0 15

- 3903 **Purpurea (Giant Purple Cone-Flower).** A most interesting hardy perennial, producing all summer large, showy reddish-purple flowers, about 4 inches across..... 10



SCABIOSA CAUCASICA

## Hardy Salvias

PER PKT.

- 3928 **Azurea Grandiflora.** A hardy perennial variety, producing during August and September spikes of pretty sky blue flowers in great profusion. 2 to 3 feet.....\$0 15
- 3930 **Sclarea.** A beautiful and effective hardy biennial variety, growing 3 to 4 feet high with immense loosely arranged spikes of attractive old rose shading to white, floral leaves produced through July and August. 2 pkts., 25 cts..... 15

## Saponaria (Bouncing Bet)

- 3911 **Ocymoides.** Very showy hardy perennial rock plant, producing during the summer months masses of small, bright rose flowers; 9 inches..... 10

## Pyrethrum

Too much cannot be said in favor of this grand hardy perennial, which will thrive in any good garden soil where there is good drainage and full exposure to the sun.

PER PKT.

- 3846 **Hybridum, Single Mixed.** Hardy perennial, bearing large Daisy-like flowers, ranging in color from white to deep red, with bright yellow centers; blooms in May and June, and again in the fall; and is one of the most graceful and long-lasting cut flowers. Per  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 75 cts.....\$0 10
- 3847 **Hybridum Grandiflorum.** A large flowering form of the above; mixed colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., \$1.00..... 15
- 3845 **Hybridum Fl. Pl.** Seed saved from the finest double flowers; only a small percentage can be expected to come double the first year; mixed colors;  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet..... 25

## Scabiosa

- 3941 **Caucasica (Blue Bonnet).** One of the handsomest of hardy perennials, especially valuable for cutting, the blooms lasting a long time in water; color soft lavender-blue; 3 feet..... 25
- 3942 **Japonica.** A variety from Japan, forming bushy plants,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet in height, and bearing on long, wiry stems beautiful, artistic, lavender-blue flowers; a fine cut flower.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts... 10

## Smilax

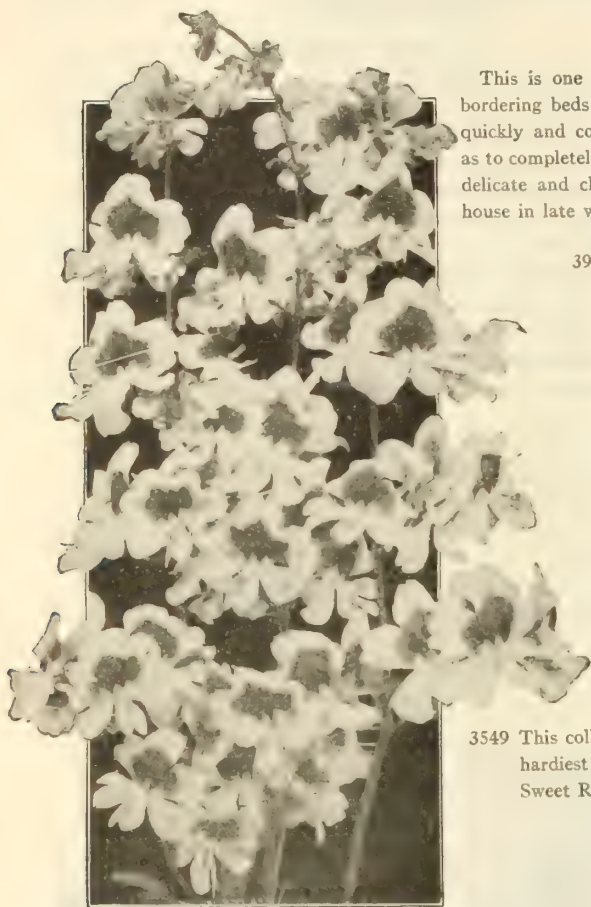
(Myrsiphyllum Asparagoides)

- 3981 In many respects Smilax is the most useful, and it is certainly one of the most graceful climbers which adorns the greenhouse or conservatory; for bouquets and floral decorations it is indispensable.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts..... 10



SALVIA SCLAREA





SCHIZANTHUS (Butterfly or Fringe Flower)

## Schizanthus

(Butterfly or Fringe Flower)

This is one of the airiest and daintiest flowers imaginable, especially adapted to bordering beds of taller flowers and those of a heavier growth. The seeds germinate quickly and come into bloom in a few weeks from sowing. The florescence is such as to completely obscure the foliage, making the plant a veritable pyramid of the most delicate and charming bloom. The Schizanthus make admirable pot plants for the house in late winter and early spring. For this purpose sow in the autumn.

PER PKT.

3967 **Dwarf Large-flowered.** A new variety, forming compact pyramidal plants a foot high, literally covered with large, beautiful, orchid-like flowers in a bewildering range of color.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. \$0 15

3968 **Wisetonensis.** A variety largely used as a pot plant for the house or conservatory. It is remarkably free-flowering, and presents a beautiful appearance with its myriads of blooms, the ground color of which is white, dotted with delicate rose. 2 pkts., 25 cts. 15

3970 **Mixed.** A splendid mixture of the regular type, which forms pretty plants 18 inches high with fine foliage and covered with bloom throughout the summer.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts. 10

## COLLECTION OF SEEDS

Of Old-fashioned Hardy Perennials

3549 This collection is made up of a packet each of twelve of the most popular, hardiest and easiest grown sorts, including Columbine, Larkspur, Foxglove, Sweet Rocket, Sweet William, etc. 75

## Cut-and-Come-Again Stocks

Splendid perpetual-blooming class; they throw out numerous side branches, all bearing very double, fragrant flowers. For winter and early spring blooming in a cool greenhouse they are invaluable. Seed may be sown any time during the summer or early autumn, blooming in about 12 weeks time.

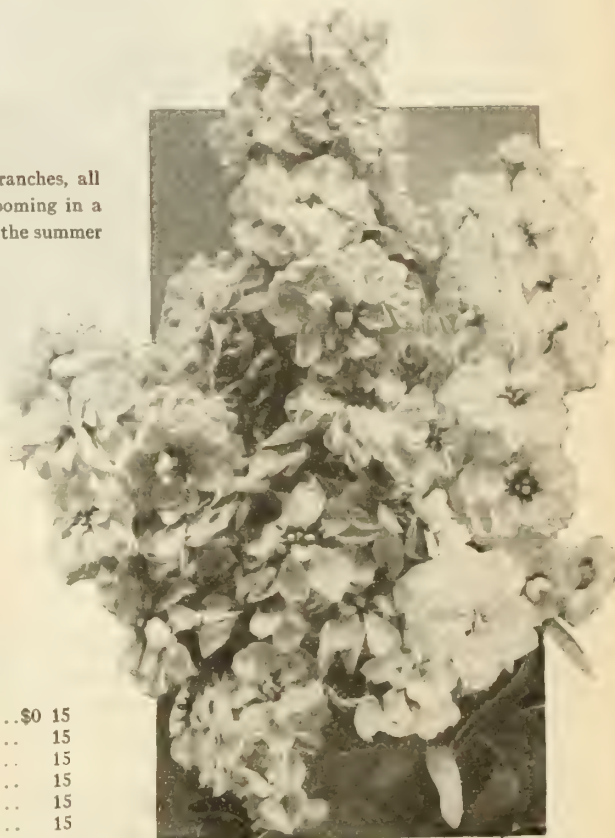
PER PKT.

4031 **Princess Alice.** White. \$0 15  
 4032 **La France.** Rose. 15  
 4033 **Brilliant.** Blood-red. 15  
 4034 **Sapphire.** Dark blue. 15  
 4035 **Creole.** Creamy-yellow. 15  
 4036 **May Queen.** Delicate lilac. 15  
 4039 **Collection** of a packet each of the above 6 colors, 60 cts.  
 4040 **Finest Mixed.** All colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 75 cts. 10

## Mammoth Flowering Beauty Stocks

A magnificent recently developed strain of early-flowering Winter or Brompton Stocks, forming much-branched plants about 2 feet high and having numerous spikes of very large, double, delightfully fragrant flowers, they are of special value as pot plants for greenhouse decoration and for cutting during the dull winter months; for this purpose seed should be sown from July to September.

4043 **Beauty of Nice.** Delicate flesh-pink. \$0 15  
 4044 **Crimson King.** Rich blood-crimson. 15  
 4045 **Mont Blanc.** Purest white. 15  
 4046 **Monte Carlo.** Canary-yellow. 15  
 4047 **Queen Alexandra.** Soft rosy-lilac. 15  
 4048 **Summer Night.** Rich deep blue. 15  
 4049 **Collection** of above 6 colors, 60 cts.  
 4050 **Choicest Mixed.** All colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 60 cts. 10



CUT-AND-COME-AGAIN STOCKS

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## Early-Flowering Orchid or Spencer Sweet Peas

This new type is receiving great attention at the hands of the leading hybridizers, and already nearly all colors are represented. They are now very popular, and in great demand by commercial florists for forcing under glass for Winter and early Spring blooming, but are just as valuable for the amateur for outdoor culture, especially in the southern states, coming into flower five or six weeks earlier than the regular orchid-flowered type, and if the flowers are kept picked, continue to bloom over a period of nearly four months.

### New Early-Flowering Sorts

The six varieties offered below are among the latest and best introductions. These, together with the twelve distinct older varieties offered below, make up what is undoubtedly a splendid and comprehensive collection.

- 4257 **Early Fair Maid.** The best blush-pink early variety. Identical in color to the popular Elfrida Pearson.
- 4259 **Early Glitters.** This sensational variety produces early and freely; flowers of enormous size, of a glittering, fiery orange. A strong vigorous grower.
- 4260 **Early Grenadier.** A most brilliant new variety of a glowing poppy scarlet, a strong robust grower.
- 4263 **Early Harmony.** The finest clear lavender yet introduced; flowers of largest size and nicely waved.
- 4265 **Early Madonna.** This splendid new sort might briefly be described as an early-flowering Constance Hinton, the best of all white Sweet Peas and like that variety, is black-seeded, insuring free germination and strong growth. For purity of color, size of bloom, and freedom of flowering, it is unexcelled.
- 4268 **Early Rose Charm.** This new introduction is to the early-flowering type what Rosabelle is to the late varieties, a very large-flowering and beautifully waved bright rose.
- Price.** Any of the above New Early Orchid varieties, 15 cts. per pkt.; 50 cts. per  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.; 75 cts. per oz.
- 4278 **Collection** containing a packet each of the above 6 varieties, 65 cts.



DREER'S  
LARGE-FLOWERING  
SWEET PEAS

### Standard Early-Flowering Sorts

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| 4252 <b>Early Aviator.</b> Dazzling crimson-scarlet.   | 4262 <b>Early Irene.</b> A lovely clear lavender.                    |
| 4253 <b>Early Blanche Ferry or Christmas Pink.</b> The most popular of all; flowers pink and white. Very large and wavy. | 4264 <b>Early Illumination.</b> Brilliant salmony cerise.            |
| 4254 <b>Early Blue Bird.</b> A splendid rich, deep blue.   | 4266 <b>Early Mrs. A. A. Skach.</b> A beautiful rich pink.           |
| 4255 <b>Early All White.</b> Largest and finest pure white.  | 4269 <b>Early Rose Queen.</b> A popular soft rose-pink forcing sort. |
| 4256 <b>Early Cream, or Meadow Lark.</b> Primrose yellow.  | 4272 <b>Early True Blue.</b> Rich mid-blue.                          |
| 4261 <b>Early Helen Lewis, or Morning Star.</b> Rich, rosy salmon.   | 4273 <b>Early Zvolanek's Rose.</b> Rich rose.                        |

- Price.** Any of the above 10 cts. per pkt.; 60 cts. per oz.; \$1.75 per  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.
- 4279 **Collection** of a packet each of the above 12 choice varieties, \$1.00.
- 4277 **Collection** of one ounce each of the above 12 choice varieties, \$5.25.
- 4276 **Early Flowering Orchid Mixed.** A splendid mixture, containing all colors. 10 cts. per pkt.; 50 cts. per oz.; \$1.50 per  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.; \$5.00 per lb.

### Twelve "Incomparable" Orchid-Flowered Sweet Peas

This is the regular late-flowering type and is distinguished by the extraordinary size of their flowers and by the standard being crinkled and wavy. They usually bear four blossoms on a stem, and are as easy to grow as the commonest sorts.

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| 4074 <b>Blanche Ferry Spencer.</b> Pink and white.      | 4147 <b>King White.</b> Extra large, pure white.            |
| 4095 <b>Dobbie's Cream.</b> The finest primrose yellow. | 4151 <b>Margaret Atlee.</b> The best rich pink.             |
| 4108 <b>Elfrida Pearson.</b> The finest light pink.     | 4198 <b>Royal Purple.</b> Rich royal purple. Very distinct. |
| 4117 <b>Florence Nightingale.</b> The finest lavender.  | 4199 <b>Royal Scot.</b> Brilliant scarlet.                  |
| 4127 <b>Hercules.</b> Very large, lively rose-pink.     | 4211 <b>The Cardinal.</b> Intense poppy-scarlet.            |
| 4146 <b>King Mauve.</b> Rich deep mauve.                | 4222 <b>Wedgwood.</b> Wedgwood or silvery-blue.             |

- Price.** Any of the above 10 cts. per pkt.; 35 cts. per oz.; \$1.00 per  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.
- 4218 **Collection** of a packet each of the 12 "Incomparable" sorts, 75 cts.
- 4219 **Collection** of 1 ounce each of the 12 "Incomparable" sorts, \$3.00.
- 4230 **Orchid-flowered. Mixed.** All colors. 10 cts. per pkt.; 25 cts. per oz.; 75 cts. per  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.; \$2.50 per lb.





STOKESIA (Cornflower Aster)

**Statice (Sea Lavender)**

Splendid hardy perennials, either for the border or rockery, producing all summer panicles of minute flowers, which can be dried and used for winter bouquets.

PER PKT.

- 3997 **Latifolia.** Purplish-blue flowers. (See cut.)  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts.....\$0 10
- 4000 **Mixed.** Containing many sorts..... 10



STATICE LATIFOLIA

**Stokesia (Cornflower Aster)**

PER PKT.

- 4051 **Cyanea.** This is not new, but is a rare and beautiful hardy perennial. The plant grows about 24 inches high, each bearing from 20 to 30 handsome lavender-blue cornflower-like blossoms; in bloom from July till frost. One of the choicest subjects for the hardy border and indispensable for cutting. (See cut.)  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 40 cts....\$0 10
- 4060 **Cyanea Mixed.** Containing a number of colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts.... 15

**Thalictrum (Meadow Rue)**

- 4305 **Aquilegifolium.** A beautiful hardy perennial; with elegant Columbine-like foliage and masses of feathery white flowers in June and July; 3 feet..... 10

**Collection of Seeds****Of Old-fashioned Hardy Perennials**

- 3549 This collection is made up of a packet each of twelve of the most popular, hardiest and easiest grown sorts, including Columbine, Larkspur, Foxglove, Sweet Rocket, Sweet William, etc..... 75

**Sweet Rocket (Hesperis)**

PER PKT.

- 4280 Old-fashioned garden plants; also known as Dame's Rocket and Dame's Violet; grows from 2 to 3 feet high, and bears spikes of showy white, lilac and purple fragrant flowers. Excellent for naturalizing among shrubbery or for planting in a permanent border; mixed colors. (See cut.)  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 60 cts.....\$0 10

**Tritoma**

(Red-hot Poker, Flame Flower, or Torch Lily)

- 4330 **Hybrida.** The introduction of new, continuous flowering Tritomas has given them a prominent place among hardy bedding plants. It is not generally known that they are readily grown from seed, many flowering the first year if sown early. The seed we offer has been saved from our own collection, which is undoubtedly the finest in this country. Of course for immediate results it will be better to get plants, but raising them from seed is highly interesting. 2 pkts., 25 cts..... 15

**Tunica**

- 4335 **Saxifraga.** A neat, tufted hardy perennial plant, growing but a few inches high, and bearing throughout the entire season numerous elegant pink flowers. Will thrive anywhere, but is especially adapted for the rockery or the margin of the hardy border; blooms the first season..... 10



SWEET ROCKET

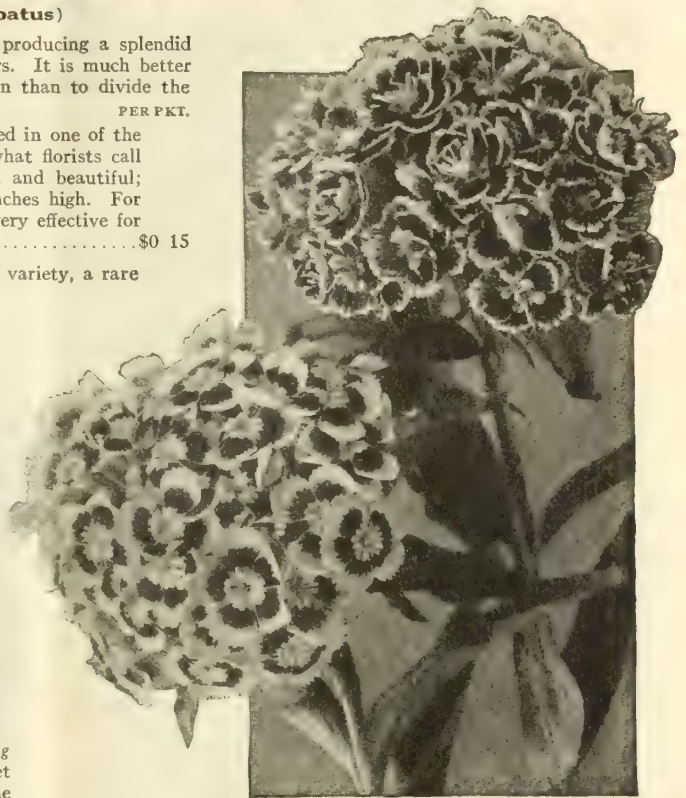


**Sweet William (*Dianthus Barbatus*)**

A well-known, attractive, free-flowering hardy perennial, producing a splendid effect in beds and borders with their rich and varied flowers. It is much better to raise new, vigorous, young plants from seed every season than to divide the old plants.

PER PKT.

- 4282 **Newport Pink.** A distinct new color which originated in one of the far-famed gardens at Newport, R. I. In color it is what florists call watermelon-pink or salmon-rose. Strikingly brilliant and beautiful; the flowers are borne in massive heads on stems 18 inches high. For mid-season mass bedding it has no equal. It is also very effective for cutting. 2 pkts., 25 cts. .... \$0 15
- 4281 **Scarlet Beauty.** A very effective, rich, deep scarlet variety, a rare color in hardy plants. 2 pkts., 25 cts. .... 15
- 4291 **Holborn Glory.** This strain is a large-flowered selection of the auricula-eyed section, the most beautiful and admired of all Sweet Williams. The individual flowers and trusses are of extraordinary size, while the range of color, all showing a clear, white eye, is truly superb.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts. .... 10
- 4286 **Single Velvety Dark Maroon** ..... 10
- 4288 **Single Pure White** ..... 10
- 4290 **Single Mixed.** All colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 60 cts. .... 10
- 4297 **Double Mixed.** All colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 30 cts. .... 10
- 4296 **Giant Double.** A decided improvement. The plants are of robust, bushy habit, producing numerous stems, surmounted by immense umbels of full, double flowers, many of the individual flowers measuring over one inch in diameter. The colors are extremely varied.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 50 cts. .... 15
- 2342 **Latifolius Atrococcineus, Fl. Pl. (Everblooming Hybrid Sweet William).** A brilliant crimson scarlet variety that is very effective in any position, and one of the best perennials in the list. .... 15



DOUBLE AND SINGLE SWEET WILLIAM

**Valeriana (Valerian)**

PER PKT.

- 4340 **Rubra, Mixed.** Showy, hardy border plants; producing large corymbs of red or white flowers; fine for bouquets; mixed, 2 feet.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts. .... \$0 10

**Veronica (Speedwell)**

- 4374 **Maritima.** A very pretty Speedwell growing about 2 feet high and producing long spikes of blue flowers from July to September. .... 10
- 4376 **Spicata.** An elegant hardy border plant, growing about 1½ feet high, producing long spikes of bright blue flowers in June and July. .... 10

**Violas or Tufted Pansies**

**Violas or Tufted Pansies.** We offer these as well as the regular Pansies on page 14.

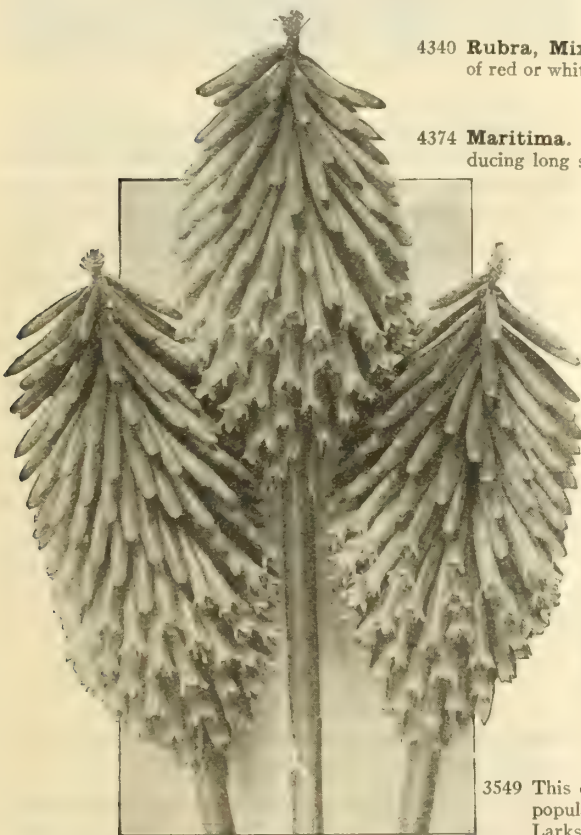
**Wallflower**

Well-known deliciously fragrant half hardy perennials, blooming early in the spring, with spikes of beautiful flowers. In the north they should be protected in a cold frame in the winter and planted out in April.

- 4415 **Paris Extra Early.** A beautiful single variety, which may be treated as an annual, flowering through the summer from seed sown in spring.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts. .... 10
- 4414 **Goliath.** A splendid single variety; flowers of a rich, shining red, with a black velvety sheen. .... 10
- 4420 **Single Mixed.** All colors.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 60 cts. .... 10
- 4430 **Double-flowering Finest Mixed.** 2 pkts., 25 cts. .... 15
- 4419 **Collection of Single Wallflower;** 6 colors, 40 cts.

**COLLECTION OF SEEDS  
Of Old-fashioned Hardy Perennials**

- 3549 This collection is made up of a packet each of twelve of the most popular, hardiest and easiest grown sorts, including Columbine, Larkspur, Foxglove, Sweet Rocket, Sweet William, etc. .... 75



TRITOMA (Red-Hot Poker Plant)



# Dreer's Vegetable Seeds

## MAKE YOUR GARDEN THE MEANS OF FURNISHING A FULL SUPPLY OF VEGETABLES THIS SUMMER AND FALL

A little effort will give you fresh vegetables all Summer and Autumn and the surplus may be canned. Continuous plantings, as explained in this catalogue under the headings of various vegetables, will enable you to do this successfully. Use all available space, and not only grow sufficient for immediate use, but also a supply to be stored for winter. As the various crops mature, utilize the space made vacant and grow Lettuce, Cabbage and Cauliflower. In the latitude of Philadelphia, Beans may be planted up to August 1st, Sugar Corn up to July 20th, and Early Peas for fall use should be planted about the middle of August, while farther South later sowings may be made.

If Beans, Corn and Peas are wanted by Parcel Post add 5 cts. per lb. to points east of the Mississippi River and 10 cts. per lb. to points west of the Mississippi River. We pay postage on all other vegetable seeds by the packet, ounce, quarter pound and pound.

### BEANS, DWARF or BUSH

**Black Valentine.** Plants are of strong growth and produce a heavy crop of handsome pods, which are dark green in color, long, straight and nearly round. However, it develops considerable fibre and becomes stringy unless gathered while young. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20 cts.; lb., 35 cts.; 2 lbs., 60 cts.; 10 lbs., \$2.50.

**Improved Extra Early Red Valentine.** One of the most popular String Beans. Plants are literally covered with long, round, slightly curved pods which are of excellent quality. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20 cts.; lb., 35 cts.; 2 lbs., 60 cts.; 10 lbs., \$2.50.

**Mammoth Stringless Green Pod.** Matures among the earliest of the green-podded sorts, and produces large pods, some of which measure 6 inches in length, and are of the finest quality. It is productive, bearing pods which are perfectly round, very fleshy and entirely stringless. Pkts., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 40 cts.; 2 lbs., 75 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.00.

**Stringless Green Pod.** First pods ready for use within 65 days after sowing seeds. Remains tender and crisp a long time after reaching full size. Pods are pale green, long and round, meaty and of excellent flavor. The plants have a spreading habit of growth, and produce large quantities of pods which are very uniform both in size and shape. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 40 cts.; 2 lbs., 75 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.00.

**Stringless Refugee Wax.** One of the most productive sorts producing with unvarying certainty enormous crops of long, light yellow, wax-like stringless round pods of high quality. One of the best yellow-podded or Butter Beans. 10 cts. per pkt.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20 cts.; lb., 35 cts.; 2 lbs., 60 cts.; 10 lbs., \$2.50.

**Sure-crop Stringless Wax.** Very productive, bearing large, handsome golden-yellow pods in great abundance, and being early is especially valuable for late planting. Pods average 6 to 7 inches long, flat and positively stringless. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 45 cts.; 2 lbs., 85 cts.; 10 lbs., \$4.00.

**Unrivalled Wax.** Ready for gathering within 65 days after seeds are sown. A robust grower, it withstands considerable rainy weather. The pods are light yellow in color, long, flat, slightly curved at the end, very fleshy, tender and of excellent quality. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 40 cts.; 2 lbs., 75 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.50.

### DWARF SHELL BEANS

For winter use plant up to the middle of July.

**Boston Pea, or Navy Bean.** A small white Bean which is used in soup, or for baking. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20 cts.; lb., 30 cts.; 2 lbs., 55 cts.; 10 lbs., \$2.25.

**Red Kidney.** Similar to White Kidney in all except color. These Beans are reddish-brown and are excellent for baking, cooking dry and mealy. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20 cts.; lb., 30 cts.; 2 lbs., 55 cts.; 10 lbs., \$2.25.

**White Kidney, or Royal Dwarf.** A superior kind for baking. 10 cts. per pkt.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20 cts.; 30 cts. per lb.; 2 lbs., 55 cts.; 10 lbs., \$2.25.

**White Marrowfat.** Extensively grown as a dry Bean for winter use. 10 cts. per pkt.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20 cts.; 30 cts. per lb.; 2 lbs., 55 cts.; 10 lbs., \$2.25.



### BEEETS

For winter keeping use Detroit Dark Red and Special Crosby and store like Turnips. Sow from middle of June to middle of July.

**Detroit Dark Red.** A choice variety of early turnip Beet. The tops make an upright growth, thus allowing planting in close rows, a valuable feature where space is limited. The Beet is somewhat globe shape, skin blood red and flesh rich red, zoned with a darker shade. The Beets are sweet when cooked, and it is a splendid variety for canning. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 60 cts.; lb., \$2.00.

**Dreer's Special Crosby's Egyptian.** This is our special selection of extra early Beet and is a great improvement over the ordinary Crosby Egyptian, and is valuable both for the private gardener and those who grow Beets for market. The skin is very smooth, bright red and flesh-vermilion, very sweet and tender. Fine canner. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 60 cts.; lb., \$2.00.

**Early Eclipse.** Perfectly smooth and round; skin and flesh red with light zones. It is one of the first to be ready for the table. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 45 cts.; lb., \$1.50.

**Lentz Blood Turnip.** An extra early of especially fine flavor and very attractive appearance, being of bright red flesh zoned with white, of particularly tender quality. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 45 cts.; lb., \$1.50.

### SWISS CHARD or SPINACH BEET

Sowings can be made up to middle of July.

**Swiss Chard, Giant Lucullus.** A greatly improved variety with very large crinkly leaves and heavy midrib. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

**Swiss Chard, or Silver Beet.** Produces large leaves in abundance. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 45 cts.; lb., \$1.50.

For Mangels and Sugar Beets, see page 28.

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## CARROT

For fall and winter use, Carrots should be sown from the middle of June to the middle of July.

**Chantenay.** A superior half-long or stump-rooted variety producing handsome roots of good size. Rich dark orange in color, fine grained, nearly coreless; very tender and of splendid quality. Unexcelled either for table or for stock feeding. 10 cts. per pkt.; 20 cts. per oz.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.50.

**Danver's Half-Long Orange.** More extensively grown than any other. It is of rich orange-red color, smooth and handsome. The roots taper to a blunt point; flesh sweet, crisp and tender. Produces more bulk to the acre than the larger, longer varieties. For many years this has been the prime favorite with home gardeners. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.50.

**Earliest Short Horn (French Forcing).** Small size roots, reddish-orange, of globular shape and excellent flavor. A favorite table variety. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.50.

**Dreer's Perfect Forcing.** An early Carrot of superfine quality. Half long, of bright scarlet color, brittle and coreless, with a remarkable small top. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 70 cts.; lb., \$2.25.

## SWEET CORN

We offer below the very best sorts for summer sowing. Zig-Zag, Stowell's Evergreen and Country Gentleman should be sown before July 5th. Aristocrat, Stablers, Bantam and Golden Giant can be planted as late as July 20th. Valuable time may be saved by sprouting the seed in a piece of wet felt or flannel kept in a warm place. 10 cts. packets only postpaid.

**Dreer's Aristocrat.** One of the best early sorts. Ears 8 to 9 inches long with 8 to 10 rows of sweet kernels. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 45 cts.; 2 lbs., 80 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.50.

**Golden Bantam.** A well known favorite. Produces ears measuring about 5 inches, but the smallness of the ears is fully made up by the deliciously sweet flavor and tender quality of the corn when cooked. It is a fine variety for the home garden. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 45 cts.; 2 lbs., 80 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.50.

**Golden Giant.** A variety of recent introduction which is a cross of Howling Mob with Golden Bantam, and produces ears which are much larger than Golden Bantam, but of the same delicious quality. The cob is of small diameter, and contains twelve to eighteen rows of long, thick grains which cover the entire surface and are deep orange in color, extremely juicy and sweet. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 40 cts.; 2 lbs., 75 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.00.

**Stabler's Early.** Of rather large size for so early a variety, and of most delicious flavor. The grains are broad and very tender. Fine for the home garden and a dependable cropper on many soils and in different sections. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 40 cts.; 2 lbs., 75 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.00.

**Stowell's Evergreen, Improved.** Productive, very tender, sugary, and remains in good condition, suitable for cooking, for a long time. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., 50 cts.; 2 lbs., 90 cts.; 10 lbs., \$4.00.

**Country Gentleman.** Ripens about 110 days after sowing—a week later than ever-popular Stowell's. Ears medium size, deep grains in irregular rows on cobs and deliciously sweet, tender and milky. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., 50 cts.; 2 lbs., 90 cts.; 10 lbs., \$4.00.

**Zig-Zag Evergreen.** A good sweet Corn, ripening a few days ahead of Stowell's Evergreen, and fully its equal in quality. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 45 cts.; 2 lbs., 80 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.50.

## CHERVIL

**Culture.**—Curled Chervil may be sown in well prepared ground at any time during the spring. The rows should be about one foot apart and plants cultivated like parsley. The aromatic leaves are used for seasoning.

**Curled Chervil.** Beautifully curled and crisp. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.



DREER'S PERFECT FORCING CARROT

## CHINESE, or CELERY CABBAGE

Delicious as a salad with a French dressing, or served like Cold Slaw, with Mayonnaise. The green portion of the leaves may also be served like Spinach, while the heavy midribs with a boiled dressing are very palatable like Swiss Chard, or Asparagus. Seed should be sown in drills 20 inches apart, and when plants have made sufficient growth, thin out to 15 inches apart in the row. Sow end of July or early in August.

**Wong Bok.** The heads of this variety are broader than Pe-Tsai, and the leaves fold tighter, making a more compact plant. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 30 cts.; oz., 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.50.

**Pe-Tsai.** This variety produces an elongated head with pale green slightly crimped outer leaves and white ribs, which are thick and fleshy. The inside leaves blanch to a creamy white and have a very mild flavor. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.25.

## CAULIFLOWER

For the winter crop of Cauliflower sow seed during June or July, and set the plants out on a cloudy day.

**Half Early Paris.** A popular white sure-heading variety, good for early or late use. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 50 cts.;  $\frac{3}{4}$  oz., 85 cts.; oz., \$1.50.

**Lenormand's Short Stem.** A large, late, short-stemmed variety. Very hardy and makes a handsome head. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 35 cts.;  $\frac{3}{4}$  oz., 60 cts.; oz., \$1.00.

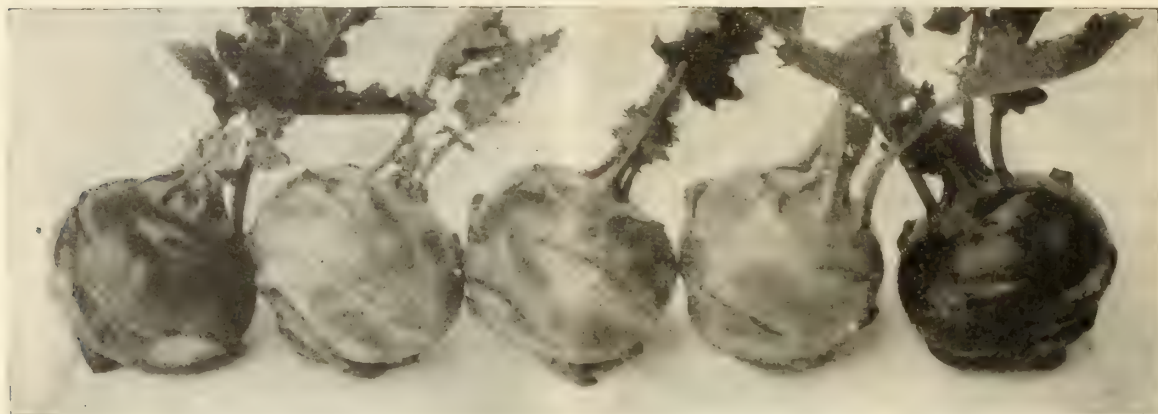
**Algiers.** An extra fine late variety, which is very dependable for the amateur. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 35 cts.;  $\frac{3}{4}$  oz., 60 cts.; oz., \$1.00.

**Veitch's Autumn Giant.** One of the finest late varieties. The heads grow to a large size, very solid and compact, and continue fit to use over a long season. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 35 cts.;  $\frac{3}{4}$  oz., 60 cts.; oz., \$1.00.

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KOHL-RABI 3 center bulbs, EARLIEST ERFURT; bulbs at both ends, EARLY PURPLE VIENNA

### CORN SALAD (*Fetticus*)

An excellent salad plant. Sow seed in drills 1 foot apart during August and September and cover plants with litter upon the approach of frost.

**Large Seeded.** A strong growing variety producing long, narrow leaves of good quality. The best variety for the home garden. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 65 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

### COLLARDS

In the Southern States seed of Collards may be sown from August to September. The crop is grown like cabbage and plants may either stand in the seed row, or be transplanted.

**Creole or Southern.** Grows two or three feet high, forming bunches of leaves on the long stems which make excellent greens. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.50.

### CRESS

**Extra Curled, or Pepper Grass.** Leaves frilled and are used for salad or garnishing. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

**Upland Cress.** Grown in soil and has the flavor of Water Cress. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.25.

**Water Cress.** Best grown in water, but will thrive in a cool moist situation. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts.; oz., 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$2.00.

### CUCUMBER

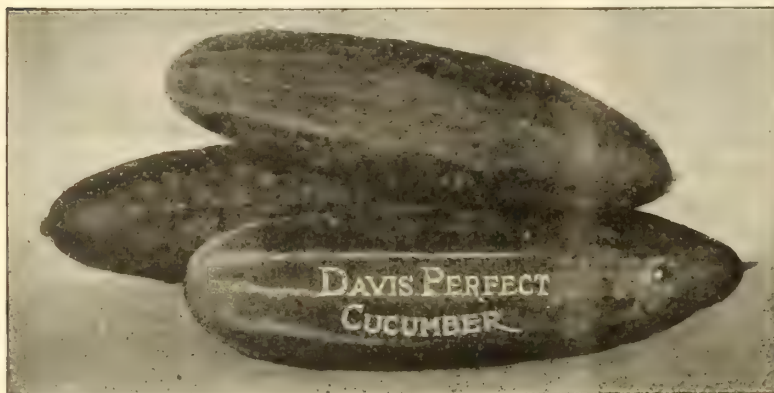
Seed may be sown until July 15.

**Davis Perfect.** Vines of vigorous growth, producing abundantly long dark green even-shaped fruits of fine quality. 10 cts. per pkt.; 20 cts. per oz.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.50.

**Early Fortune.** Cylindrical in shape with a very dark green skin. Flesh crisp and white. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.50.

**Green Prolific.** This is a good pickling variety; medium size. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

**Everbearing.** Produces pickles and cucumbers until frost. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45 cts.; lb., \$1.50.



### ENDIVE

This salad vegetable should be more largely grown, as its culture is very easy. For fall use the seed may be shown until August, as it only requires about the same time to grow as lettuce.

**Dreer's Giant Fringed.** A strong-growing variety with large white heart, broad stems and curly leaves. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00.

**Green Curled Winter.** Standard sort for fall and winter crop. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 85 cts.

**Broad-leaved Batavian (Escarolle).** Leaves broad, light green, nearly plain. Used in stews, soups and as a salad. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 85 cts.

### KALE or BORECOLE

Makes excellent greens for spring use. Sow in September and protect with litter during winter. Extremely hardy, and our Imperial may be gathered from under the snow in good condition.

**Dreer's Imperial Long Standing Kale.** Beautifully curled and crimped. Leaves are very large and of a bright green color; very hardy. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 70 cts.; lb., \$2.00.

**Dwarf Curled Scotch.** Leaves bright bluish green, curled, very tender and fine flavored; an excellent sort. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

### KOHL-RABI

Bulb grows above the ground and looks like a leafy turnip. It is usually prepared boiled and served like Turnips with a dressing, and has the combined flavor of the cabbage and turnip. Seed may be sown until middle of summer.

**Earliest Erfurt.** A white, tender variety, with smooth root and very short top; the best variety for outdoor culture. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00.

**Early Purple Vienna.** A small, early variety. Skin purple but flesh white and of good flavor. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00.

### LEEK

Seed may be sown in August or September, and transplanted early the following spring, or the young leaves may be used as required. Excellent for flavoring soups, etc.

**Dreer's Prizetaker.** This leek grows very long and thick, pure white and attractive in appearance. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.25.

**Musselburgh.** A large exhibition variety. Of good quality and very hardy. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00.

**Giant Carentan.** Produces a large thick stem, of mild flavor. The leaves dark and the plant very hardy, suitable for planting either in the spring or fall. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.





DREER'S "ALL HEART." A Sure Header.

## LETTUCE

The varieties offered below are the very best sorts for summer sowing.

**Dreer's "All-Heart."** Adapted to both spring and summer use, as it withstands heat and forms magnificent heads with leaves closely set, extremely solid heart, even before it is half grown. The color is a beautiful yellowish-green, and the flavor is excellent, being rich and buttery. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts.; oz., 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$2.00.

**Big Boston.** Now more extensively grown than any other variety in this class. The color is of a medium light green, with a slight tinge of brown on margins of the outer leaves. It is very desirable for forcing and spring and fall outdoor planting. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.25.

**French Unrivalled.** A sure-heading variety, which is suitable for growing at any season. Forms large, compact, buttery heads and is slow to shoot to seed. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts.; oz., 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$2.00.

**Salamander.** A well known medium green, medium sized sort which does well under almost any weather conditions. High quality. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 30 cts.; oz., 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.50.

**Dreer's Wonderful.** Sometimes called "New York" or "Los Angeles." The large white heads resemble cabbage in their solidity, and frequently weigh 2 and 3 lbs. each. The quality is superb, being crisp and tender. It withstands the heat well and is an excellent variety to grow during the summer. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts.; oz., 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$2.00.

**Dreer's Improved Hanson.** One of the best summer heat-resisting sorts. Heads grow to good size, are sweet, tender and crisp. Color is light green and leaves, which are crumpled, tightly overlap. For outdoor culture unequalled. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 30 cts.; oz., 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.50.

**Kingsholm Cos.** Forms long, upright plants with narrow leaves, which are crisp and refreshing, withstanding summer heat. Light green in color and very reliable for late use. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 30 cts.; oz., 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.25.

**Paris White Cos.** One of the earliest. Plants erect, leaves pale green and of good quality, which it retains for a long time. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 30 cts.; oz., 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.25.

## MUSHROOM SPAWN

The idea that good Mushrooms can only be produced in caves, or houses which have been specially built for the purpose, is erroneous. They can be successfully grown in almost any building, cellar or shed, which can be darkened. Beds can be made on ground floor, or on shelves, in tiers; also in the greenhouse under the benches or in spent hot beds. Leaflet giving full cultural instructions free on application.

**American Spore Culture Spawn.** An American make of spawn, which produces Mushrooms of excellent quality and large size. By express: per brick, 35c.; 5 bricks, \$1.60; 10 bricks, \$3.00; 25 bricks, \$7.00; 50 bricks, \$13.00; 100 bricks, \$25.00. If wanted by parcel post add 5 cts. per brick to points east of the Mississippi River. 10 cts. per brick to points west of the Mississippi River.

## MUSTARD

Sow in shallow drills 10 to 12 inches apart for succession.

**White London.** Best salad variety. Leaves dark green, small and smooth. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

**Chinese.** Large, light green leaves, frilled at edge. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

**Fordhook Fancy.** The leaves are beautifully curled and fringed and can be cooked and served like spinach, as well as eaten as salad. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.; lb., \$2.25.

**Southern Giant Curled.** Large, light green leaves, crimped and curled. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60 cts.; lb., \$2.00.

## PARSNIP

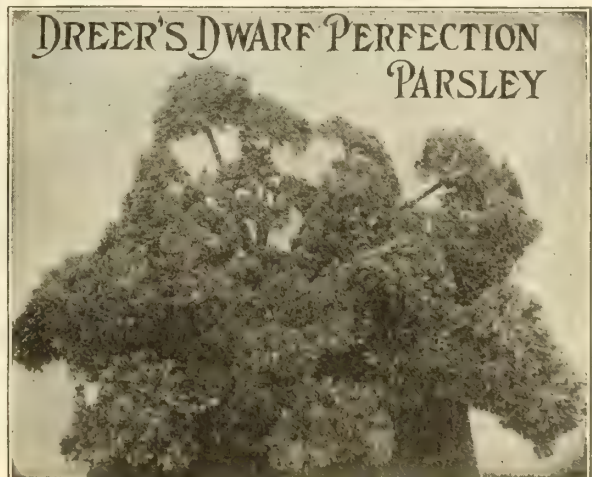
**Large Sugar, or Hollow Crown.** This is the best and most productive variety and is largely grown both in the home garden and for market. The roots, which are creamy white, grow 10 to 12 inches long, and are smooth, tender, sweet and are of excellent flavor. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.

## PARSLEY

Excellent for garnishing meats and salads. The plants may be taken up in the fall, planted in boxes or pots and grown in a sunny window for winter use.

**Dreer's Dwarf Perfection.** A compact variety, with fine curled leaves, closely set. Color bright pea-green, and the flavor is excellent. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00; lb., \$3.00.

**Champion Moss Curled.** A standard variety, beautifully curled. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20 cts.; oz., 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 70 cts.; lb., \$2.00.







PEA, EARLY EIGHT-WEEKS, bears bountiful crops

## GARDEN PEAS

Peas do not do well if planted during hot weather, but sowings of the early sorts, made in August, generally bring good results and it is nice to have green peas fresh from the garden during the early fall months. 10 cts. **Packets only postpaid.**

**Early Eight Weeks.** The vines are very dwarf, growing only 12 to 15 inches in height and loaded with the well filled pods, which are quite large in size for so early a variety. The pods should be picked from vines while they are in a young state of growth, at which time the peas are exceedingly tender and of a most delicious flavor. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 45 cts.; 2 lbs., 80 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.50.

**Dreer's Electric Extra Early.** One of the earliest and most prolific extra early varieties, which has given good results wherever grown. Vines grow to a height of about 30 inches, and are very robust, bearing an abundant crop of well filled pods which measure about 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches in length. 10 cts. per pkt.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20 cts.; 35 cts. per lb.; 2 lbs., 65 cts.; 10 lbs., \$2.75.

**Gradus, or Prosperity.** This splendid variety of wrinkled Pea combines the finest quality with extreme earliness. Vines about three feet in height, bearing large pods which are well filled with beautiful light green Peas. 10 cts. per pkt.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; 45 cts. per lb.; 2 lbs., 85 cts.; 10 lbs., \$4.00.

**Laxtonian.** The largest-podded dwarf variety of extra earlies and really may be classed as a Dwarf Gradus. The vines grow about 18 inches high, make a vigorous growth and the pods are well filled with large Peas, which have an exquisite flavor. Pkt., 10 cts., postpaid.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., 50 cts.; 2 lbs., 90 cts.; 10 lbs., \$4.25.

**Market Surprise.** Grows about 30 inches high and produces a great quantity of pods, well filled with Peas which are sweet and of good flavor. Matures the crop in about sixty days, and we consider it one of the best extra early Peas. 10 cts. per pkt.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 45 cts.; 2 lbs., 80 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.50.

**Nott's Excelsior.** Vines make a healthy growth and produce a large number of pods which are well filled, with finely flavored peas. Highly recommended for home use; height, 14 inches. 10 cts. per pkt.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; 40 cts. per lb.; 2 lbs., 75 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.00.

**Premium Gem, or Little Gem.** Vines grow 18 inches high and pods are borne on both sides of stalks, beginning near the ground. While not large the pods are closely packed and shell out large quantities of peas. 10 cts. per pkt.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 40 cts.; 2 lbs., 75 cts.; 10 lbs., \$3.00.

## RADISH

Sow Radish Seed about every two weeks, growing only about what quantity you can use between crops. Summer varieties should be used for planting during July and August, as they withstand hot weather better than the early sorts. For winter use sow seed of the Winter Varieties in July, and they can be harvested before severe frosts and stored in sand in a cool cellar.

## SUMMER RADISHES

**Cardinal Globe.** Those who like the crisp little red Radishes that come so early will be pleased with this variety. The Radishes grow globular in shape, and are of a most brilliant cardinal-red color. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

**Cincinnati Market.** An extra early variety of the Long Scarlet type; of a clear bright red color and grows to large size. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

**Dreer's Earliest White Olive.** The beautiful shape and quick growth make this the most desirable of the white olive-shaped sorts. It may be grown in the garden or used for forcing, and in either case will produce roots of a size suitable for use within 24 days. The skin is an attractive, transparent ivory-white and the flesh sparkling white, very crisp, tender and juicy. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 60 cts.; lb., \$2.00.

**Dreer's Crystal Forcing.** Small top, quick growth, pure white, and round, mild and crisp. Largely used for mid-season planting in open ground. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

**Icicle Radish.** Can be used for summer or in forcing frames, and makes radishes measuring from four to five inches long and half to three-quarter inch thick, the attractive almost transparent white roots are very tender. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 60 cts.; lb., \$2.00.

**Long Scarlet Short Top.** Long, bright scarlet, with small top. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

**New Ruby.** The shape is nearly round, and color of skin deep red; flesh white and very crisp and it remains in good condition for a long time. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 60 cts.; lb., \$2.00.

**New Perfection.** This type of Radish, having red skin with white tip, has long been a favorite, and with this variety the white portion extends farther up than with ordinary White Tip Radishes. Size medium, very uniform, with flesh crisp, tender and sparkling. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 60 cts.; lb., \$2.00.



## NOTE

If Peas, Beans or Corn are wanted by Parcel Post, add 5 cts. per lb. to points East of the Mississippi River, and 10 cts. per lb. to points West of the Mississippi River. We deliver postpaid to any post office within the United States all other Vegetable seeds in packets, ounces and pounds.



## WINTER RADISHES

**White Chinese, or Celestial.** One of the best winter Radishes; stump-rooted, and even when extremely large the Radishes are solid, crisp and of a mild flavor; skin pure white. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

**Scarlet China.** Bright rose color; flesh white, crisp and pungent. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

**Round Black Spanish.** Probably the most popular variety. Skin black, with solid white pungent flesh. Excellent for winter use. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

**Long Black Spanish.** Similar to above in all but shape, this sort grows 7 or 8 inches long and 2 to 3 inches thick at the top. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

**Long White Spanish.** Like Long Black except in color, slightly less pungent. Good flavor and keeps well. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

## SPINACH

**Dreer's Round-Seeded Savoy Spinach.** Very hardy, beautifully curled and crimped, thick, dark green fleshy leaves. Best of all for fall sowing. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

**Improved Long-standing.** A large, crimped, thick, fleshy, leaved variety with remarkable long-standing qualities. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

**King of Denmark.** An ideal variety for mid-season sowing, as plants are very slow to run to seed. Large dark green, crumpled leaves. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

**Long Season Spinach.** Sowings of this variety can be made all season and the crop will be continuous throughout the entire summer. The leaves are a rich dark green color, very thick, crumpled, and of splendid quality. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

**New Zealand.** Sometimes called "Cut and come again." Not related to the regular Spinaches but forms large, spreading plants, five to eight feet across, during summer and early fall. Soak seed in warm water for a few hours before sowing. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60 cts.; lb., \$2.00.

**Prickly-seeded.** The hardest variety; bears medium size leaves of good quality. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., 85 cts.

**Victoria.** Fine texture, of deepest green color, heavily crimped, thick, fleshy leaves, good quality and "stands" for a long time. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., 75 cts.



## TURNIP

No garden is complete without a row or two of these excellent roots, with their fine flavor, and long keeping qualities. Seeds may be sown as late as the early part of August. For winter use store away in a cool cellar and cover with a few inches of dry earth.

**Extra Early Purple-Top Milan.** With purple top. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

**Early White Milan.** Like above, but pure white. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

**Early White Egg.** Adopted for either early or late sowing. The tops are small and roots are of medium size, with white skin and flesh. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

**Early White Flat Dutch (Strap-Leaf).** Of quick growth and mild flavor. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

**Long White, or Cow Horn.** Grows very quickly, partly above ground; flesh white, fine grained and sweet; of excellent quality for family use and for stock feeding. The roots are very large, sometimes fifteen inches long by four inches in diameter. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

**Purple-Top White Globe.** Globular shape, handsome and of superior quality, either for the table or stock. A heavy producer, and a good keeper. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

**Yellow Aberdeen Purple-Top.** Choice quality, top red or purple above ground, flesh white, fine grained, mild flavor. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

**Seven Top.** Cultivated largely in the South for its green tops, which make excellent Winter greens. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

**Snow Ball.** Matures in from six to seven weeks. The roots have a smooth white skin and are nearly round. This Turnip does not grow large, but is one of the best to sow in midsummer. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

**Yellow Globe (Amber Globe).** Produces globe-shaped roots with smooth skin and light yellow flesh, which is firm and sweet. Excellent for table use or feeding stock. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

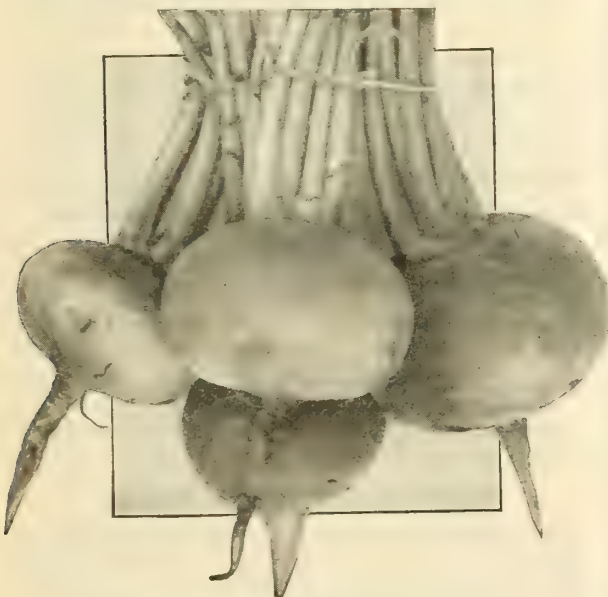
## RUTABAGA

These are larger than the ordinary turnip and used both for the table and feeding stock. The seed should be sown before the end of July.

**Dreer's Improved Purple-Top.** This special strain is remarkable for uniform shape and fine quality. It grows to a large size; skin is smooth, flesh yellow, fine-grained and sweet. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

**Golden Heart.** A Danish variety of large size. A heavy cropper of best quality. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

**Budlong's Improved.** White, very sweet, much milder flavor than any of the other sorts; globe-shaped. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.00.



YELLOW ABERDEEN, PURPLE TOP TURNIP

**Sow Seed of Winter Radish now, for storing over Winter.**



# FARM SEEDS FOR SUMMER SOWING

Prices for larger quantities than one pound are f. o. b. Philadelphia and subject to market changes  
Write for Samples and Prices on any Field Seed wanted and not offered on this page

## MANGELS and SUGAR BEETS

	By mail		By express	
	Oz.	4 lb. Lb.	Lb.	10 lbs.
<b>Mangel Wurzel—</b>				
Mammoth Long Red.....	\$0 10	\$0 25	\$0 75	\$6 00
Red Globe.....	10	25	75	6 00
Golden Tankard.....	10	25	75	6 00
Yellow, or Orange Globe...	10	25	75	6 00
<b>Sugar Beets—</b>				
Klein Wanzleben.....	10	25	75	6 00
Lane's Improved White Sugar	10	25	75	6 00

## MILLETS

**Golden Millet.** A valuable annual hay and fodder crop. Grows 4 to 5 feet high. Sow 1 bushel to acre. Lb., postpaid, 30 cts.; bu., 50 lb., \$4.00.

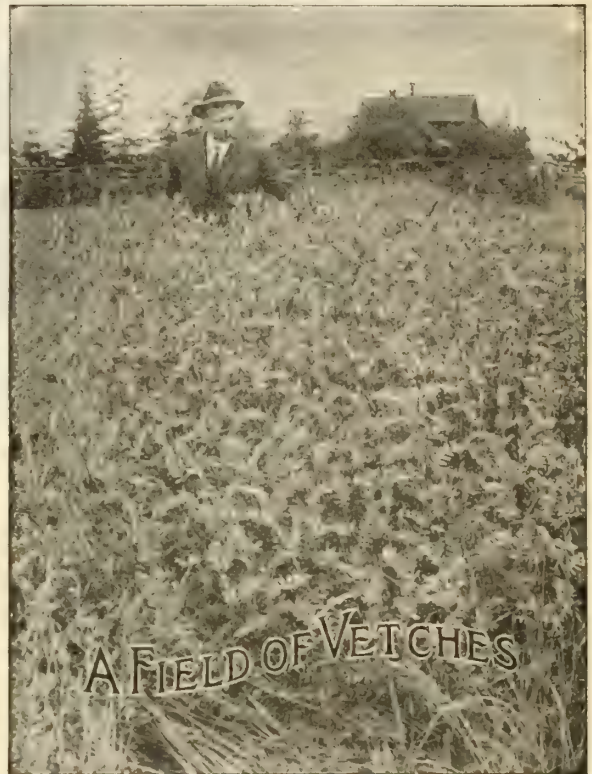
**Hungarian Millet.** An annual forage plant, early and productive, growing 2 to 3 feet high, with an abundance of foliage. Sow 1 bushel to the acre. Lb., postpaid, 30 cts.; bu., 48 lbs., \$3.50.

## JAPANESE BUCKWHEAT

**Japanese.** Earlier, and yields nearly double the weight per acre of other sorts. The grains are nearly twice as large as those of Silver Hull and of a much better color. This variety is always in demand and is preferred by the millers, who claim that it makes the best grade of flour. Sow about the middle of June, broadcast, at rate of 1 bushel to the acre or  $\frac{1}{2}$  bushel in drills. Lb., postpaid, 30 cts. By express or freight, 75 cts. per peck; \$2.50 per bushel of 48 lbs.

## DWARF ESSEX RAPE

A foliage plant of highest value. For fall crop sow in July, August and September. It can be sown broadcast, 10 lbs. to the acre, but is better drilled, in which case 5 lbs. to the acre will suffice. In few weeks from time of sowing, sheep, hogs or cattle can be turned on it. True imported seed. Per lb., 35 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, 5 lbs., \$1.00; 10 lbs., \$1.50; 50 lbs., \$6.00.



## VETCH

**Winter Vetches, or Tares.** Also called Sand Vetch, or Hairy Vetch. Recommended for fall sowing with rye, which serves as a support. It is perfectly hardy in all parts of the country, and maturing fully four weeks earlier than Scarlet Clover, it can be harvested or plowed under and the ground used for the usual spring crops. It is the best green-manure crop that can be grown. Lb., 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, \$2.25; per bushel (60 lbs.), \$8.00; 100 lbs., \$13.00.

## CLOVER SEED

**Red Clover, Medium.** Sow spring or fall, 10 to 15 lbs. per acre. Lb., postpaid, 50 cts. Write for price per bushel.

**Mammoth Red Clover.** For plowing under. 10 to 15 lbs. per acre. Lb., postpaid, 50 cts. Write for price per bushel.

**Alsike or Swedish Clover.** Sow 8 lbs. to the acre when used alone. Lb., postpaid, 45 cts. Write for price per bushel.

**White Dutch Clover.** Excellent for lawns. Sow 8 lbs. to the acre alone or 4 lbs. when used with other grasses.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., 95 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, at purchaser's expense, lb., 85 cts.; 5 lbs., \$4.00; 10 lbs., \$7.75; bu. (60 lbs.), \$45.00; 100 lbs., \$75.00.

**Alfalfa, or Lucerne.** Produces 3 to 4 heavy crops of nutritious hay in a season. Lb., 50 cts., postpaid. Write for special leaflet and price per bushel.

**Crimson, or Scarlet Clover.** Valuable for hay, or for cover crop or green manuring. A wonderful soil improver. Sow 20 lbs. per acre. Lb., postpaid, 30 cts. By express or freight, peck, \$2.00; bu. (60 lbs.), \$7.50; 100 lbs., \$12.00.


## CANADA FIELD PEAS

Valuable for Northern climates for cattle-feeding and for green soiling, and is also used in large quantities for feeding pigeons. Sow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 bushels per acre. Lb., postpaid, 25 cents. \$1.25 per peck; \$4.50 per bushel of 60 lbs.



# DREER'S RELIABLE BULBS

We offer on this and the following pages a list of the more important bulbs for blooming during the late winter and early spring months. Most of these bulbs are grown in Europe, and we usually receive our supplies by the middle of September.

 **Send in your order now and the bulbs will be forwarded as soon as they reach us.**

Our complete Catalogue of Spring-flowering Bulbs will be sent out as usual during the first days of September.

## DUTCH HYACINTHS

The Hyacinth is so well known and esteemed that any description of its many good qualities is needless. The crop of Hyacinths is very short this season and early orders are advised. We give below short cultural directions. For complete cultural notes see our book, *Dreer's Hints on the Growing of Bulbs*. Price, 25 cts., or free to customers if asked for at the time of ordering.

**Outdoor Culture.**—The bulbs may be planted from October to December. They succeed in any good, well-drained garden soil. Set the bulbs so that the tops will be 3 or 4 inches below the surface and 6 to 10 inches apart. Before very severe weather comes on cover the beds with straw, leaves or manure, to protect them from the frost; this should be removed when danger from hard frost is past in the spring.

**Pot Culture.**—Plantings may be made at any time from September to December. A light, rich soil, or Prepared Fibre offered on page 48, is most suitable. Use a 4 or 5-inch pot (or several bulbs may be planted together in larger pots or bulb pans) and have the tops of the bulbs just above the surface. After potting give a good watering, and set away in a cool cellar or outhouse and cover with coal ashes or some litter, until thoroughly rooted. They may then be brought as wanted for a succession of flowers into the house, keeping them in a very cool light room until the flowers spikes are developed, when they may be placed wherever wanted.

**Culture in Glasses.**—To grow Hyacinths in water, they should be placed so that the base of the bulb *merely touches the water*. The glasses should then be set in a cool, dark closet, or in the cellar, until filled with roots, when they may be brought into the light. Give as much fresh air as possible, and at a temperature of not over sixty degrees, until the spikes are developed. To put them at once into a room with a temperature of, say seventy degrees, would cause them to flower prematurely.

## Dreer's Prize Winning Collection of Exhibition Hyacinths

While all the named Hyacinths offered on the following pages are strictly first class in every particular, the twelve single flowering sorts offered below are supplied in largest sized bulbs or "top roots," and always produce massive well-filled spikes, and are invariably included in the winning sets at the various exhibitions.

**Enchantress.** Beautiful sky-blue, shading lighter towards the centre, one of the finest light blue varieties.

**Gertrude.** One of the very best; color, bright rosy pink.

**Grande Blanche.** Very large bells; color, bluish white.

**Grande Maitre.** Rich deep lavender-blue, shaded darker.

**King of the Blues.** This is considered the finest of the rich deep blue varieties.

**L'Innocence.** Pure white, bells and truss of largest size.

**Lady Derby.** Lovely rose pink; splendid in every way.

**La Victoire or Victory.** Magnificent spikes of brilliant rosy crimson.

**Queen of the Blues.** Charming silvery azure blue; extra fine.

**Queen of the Pinks.** Extra large bells and massive spikes; a lively tone of rosy pink; extra fine.

**Queen of the Whites.** A superb pure white with very large bells and spikes.

**Yellow Hammer.** Rich yellow color, very pronounced.

**Price.** Any of the above, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.; \$22.50 per 100.

One each of the 12 Prize Winning sorts for \$3.00.

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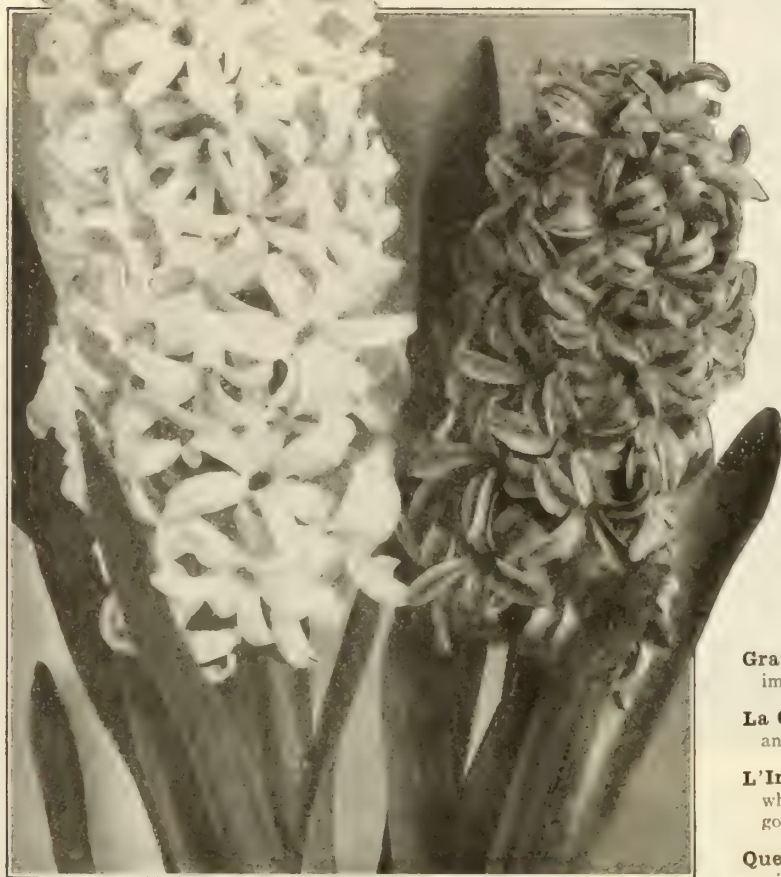
SPIKE OF PRIZE WINNING SINGLE HYACINTH

**NOTE**—All Bulbs, Roots and Plants are forwarded by Express, purchaser paying charges. If wanted by Parcel Post add 10 per cent. to value of order to points east of the Mississippi River, and 20 per cent. to points west of the Mississippi River.



## Selected First-size Hyacinths

The varieties enumerated below have been selected for their distinct coloring and free-flowering qualities, and are all **Selected First-size Bulbs**, specially suited for growing in pots or glasses, or for high-grade bedding.



### DOUBLE ROSE AND PINK

**Chestnut Blossom.** Bright rose-pink, like the flowers of the Horse Chestnut.

**President Roosevelt.** Bright lively pink; very large truss.

### DOUBLE PURE AND TINTED WHITE

**Isabella.** The finest double blush white; large bells and spike.

**Double La Grandesse.** The double-flowering form of the well-known single pure white; extra fine.

### DOUBLE BLUE AND LAVENDER

**Bloksberg.** Finest light porcelain-blue; very large.

**Garrick.** Deep azure-blue; very large spike.

### DOUBLE YELLOW

**Sunflower.** Considered the finest double pure yellow.

**Price.** Any of the 1st size named Hyacinths offered above, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

## Dreer's Collections of Named Hyacinths

The following collections are made up of Selected First-size Bulbs, of such varieties as are especially suited for growing in pots and glasses. Complete cultural directions are given in "Dreer's Hints on the Growing of Bulbs." Copies free to customers.

### COLLECTION FOR POT CULTURE

Twelve distinct sorts of 9 singles and 3 doubles. Our selection, \$2.50.

### COLLECTION FOR GROWING IN WATER

Twelve distinct varieties, 9 singles and 3 doubles. Our selection, \$2.50.

### SINGLE RED, ROSE AND PINK

**General De Wet.** A beautiful shade of light rose, popularly known as the Pink Grand Maitre.

**Gertrude.** Bright rosy pink, of sturdy compact growth, fine bedder.

**Gigantea.** One of the best blush pink varieties. Very large truss of closely set bells; very popular.

**Lady Derby.** A charming tone of rose-pink, splendid in pots.

**La Victoire, or Victory.** Brilliant rosy-red; a fine variety.

**Marconi.** Rich rose-pink, magnificent spikes of closely set bells.

**Queen of the Pinks.** A lovely tone of rosy-pink, large bells and massive spike.

**Roi des Belges.** Brilliant crimson-scarlet; a grand bedder.

### SINGLE, PURE AND TINTED WHITE

**Arentine Arendsen.** Pure snow white with large open bells in good spike.

**General Vetter.** A very strong grower, with large spikes of creamy blush white.

**Grand Blanche.** A splendid blush white with immense bells and spike.

**La Grandesse.** An extra fine pure white; spike and bells of largest size.

**L'Innocence.** The most popular of the pure whites for bedding and forcing; always produces good flowers.

**Queen of the Whites.** A grand new pure white with extra large spikes and bells.

### SINGLE BLUE, LAVENDER, PURPLE, Etc.

**Enchantress.** One of the finest light blue sorts; color sky-blue shading lighter to the center.

**Grand Maitre.** Rich, deep lavender blue shaded darker.

**King of the Blues.** A grand rich dark lustrous blue.

**Perle Brillante.** Very large bells and spike of light sky-blue; inside of petals lighter.

**Queen of the Blues.** A beautiful silvery azure-blue.

### SINGLE YELLOW SHADES

**Primrose Perfection.** A grand bright primrose-yellow.

**Yellow Hammer.** Pure yellow and one of the best.



## Select Second-size Named Hyacinths

These are a little smaller than our Selected first-size bulbs offered on page 30 and are fine flowering stock, and admirably adapted for pot culture and high-grade bedding where distinct shades of color are desired. We can furnish them in the following grand varieties at the uniform price of 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

### Single Red, Rose and Pink

**Gertrude.** Deep rose pink; extra fine erect truss.

**Gigantea.** Soft blush pink; very large spike of closely set bells; one of the most popular.

**Lady Derby.** A beautiful soft rose pink.

**La Victoire, or Victory.** A splendid variety. Color brilliant rosy crimson.

**Marconi.** A splendid rich rose-pink, extra fine.

**Roi des Belges.** Brilliant crimson-scarlet; a grand bedding sort, holding its color better than any other scarlet.

### Single Pure and Tinted White

**General Vetter.** One of the finest creamy blush white varieties; makes a splendid spike and always does well.

**L'Innocence.** Deservedly the most popular pure white; of erect, sturdy habit and good for all purposes.

**La Grandesse.** Considered the finest of all whites; bells and spike very large.

**Queen of the Whites.** Very large spikes and bells of purest white.

### Single Blue and Lavender

**Enchantress.** Sky-blue, with lighter centre; one of the finest light blue sorts.

**Grand Maitre.** Deep lavender; shaded darker; very large truss, strong and free grower, and one of the best.

**King of the Blues.** The finest of the rich deep blue varieties.

**Queen of the Blues.** Clear silver azure-blue; in splendid trusses; grand variety for growing in pots.

### Single Yellow

**Primrose Perfection.** Bright primrose yellow.

**Yellow Hammer.** Pure yellow, very fine.

**Price.** Any of the above Select Second-size Hyacinths, 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

### Dreer's "Rainbow" Mixed Dutch Hyacinths

This mixture is made up out of high-grade sorts; the bulbs average about six inches in circumference, and can be depended on to produce fine results, either planted out of doors or in pots in the house, and are the highest grade of mixed Hyacinths offered at a reasonable price. We recommend the Single-flowering Sorts as giving the best and most uniform results:

We can supply as under

Single Dark Red	Single Dark Blue
Single Rose and Pink	Single Light Blue
Single Pure White	Single Yellow
Single Blush White	Single all colors mixed
Double Red and Rose	Double Blues
Double White and Blush	Double Yellow
Double all colors mixed	

**Price.** Any of the above, in either Single or Double-flowering. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.



A PAN OF  
HYACINTHS

### Dutch Roman or Miniature Hyacinths

These are small bulbs of the single-flowering Dutch Hyacinths, and quite distinct from the French Romans, and excellent for growing in pans, pots or boxes, in soil or prepared fibre, blooming early and freely. They may be planted close together in the pans, pots or boxes, or in beds in the open ground, with charming effect. The bulbs we offer average 5 inches in circumference, and must not be confounded with smaller unnamed sorts.

**Gertrude.** Deep rose.

**Gigantea.** Soft blush or shell pink.

**La Victoire.** Brilliant rosy-crimson.

**General Vetter.** Creamy blush white

**La Grandesse.** Snow white.

**L'Innocence.** Purest white.

**Grand Maitre.** Deep porcelain-blue.

**King of the Blues.** Rich, deep blue.

**Queen of the Blues.** Silvery azure-blue.

**Price.** Any of the above named varieties, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000.

### White French Roman Hyacinths

We are again assured of a limited supply of this scarce and charming class of Hyacinths from the south of France, producing graceful, delicately perfumed spikes of pure white flowers. They force readily in the house, and can be had in flower from November till April. We do not recommend them for outdoor planting.

*Selected Bulbs*, 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.



# Dreer's Select Single Early Tulips



SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

**Flamingo** (12 in.). Rich brilliant pink on a white ground. A high grade sort of unusual substance and lasting qualities. 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100; \$55.00 per 1000.

**Golden Queen** (12 in.). The finest golden yellow; flowers very large. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Kaiser Kroon** (15 in.). Bright red, margined golden-yellow; extra large and very showy. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000.

**Lady Boreel, or Joost van Vondel White** (12 in.). Conceded to be the largest and finest pure white; perfect in every way. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Pink Beauty** (12 in.). Rich, glowing cerise pink, flushed with snowy-white at the base of petals; a magnificent sort of heavy texture. \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100; \$80.00 per 1000.

**President Lincoln or Queen of the Violets** (10 in.). A pretty shade of pale violet. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

The Tulip is always attractive from its beauty and brilliancy of color; and is one of the popular early spring flowers. A few bulbs scattered here and there produce but little effect, but when planted in masses or in groups, they become at once grand and brilliant, and eclipse in variety of coloring and picturesque effect almost any other flower. We only offer such kinds as can be used with perfect success either indoors or out in the garden. Tulips require cultural treatment similar to Hyacinths; the bulbs, being smaller, should not be planted so deep. When grown indoors, put 6 bulbs in a 6-inch pan or pot.

To assist in the selection of varieties that grow to the same height, we give directly after the name of each variety the average height in inches, all of the varieties offered practically bloom together.

**Belle Alliance** (10 in.). One of the most popular scarlets for bedding; always does well. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Chrysolora** (10 in.). Rich, pure yellow. 65 cts per doz.; \$4.50 per 100; \$40.00 per 1000.

**Cottage Maid** (10 in.). White, bordered and suffused rosy-pink; makes a beautiful bed. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Couleur Cardinal** (10 in.). Rich, glittering cardinal red; a grand variety. 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.50 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**Rising Sun** (15 in.). Very large flowers, of rich golden yellow; the finest and richest yellow single early Tulip. 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.50 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**Rose Luisante** (10 in.). Dark, silky-rose pink of high quantity. 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.50 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**Sir Thomas Lipton** (12 in.). Rich, glossy, deep scarlet, the finest of its color. 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.50 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**White Hawk** (10 in.). A beautiful, pure white, of heavy texture, lasting well. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Yellow Prince** (10 in.). The leading golden-yellow for forcing. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Dreer's Superb Mixed.** This grand mixture of Single Early sorts is blended specially for us by one of the leading growers in Holland. 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.75 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

## COLLECTIONS OF SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

A border planted with one of the following collections forms one of the most interesting and educational features of the garden and is the very best way to become familiar with the various varieties, their colors, heights, time of blooming, etc., so you can choose your own sorts when planting a bed or border.

3 each of above 15 varieties, 45 bulbs.....	\$3.25	12 each of above 15 varieties, 180 bulbs.....	\$11.00
6 each of above 15 varieties, 90 bulbs.....	6.00	25 each of above 15 varieties, 375 bulbs.....	20.00

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## May-Flowering or Cottage Garden Tulips

This beautiful class is now very popular. They are quite distinct from the early flowering, Darwin and other sorts offered, coming into bloom in the vicinity of Philadelphia about May 10th, or two or three weeks later than the early-flowering types, and extending the Tulip season over a period of four weeks or more.

On account of their extreme hardiness, and long lasting qualities, they are specially adapted for the permanent hardy flower border, where they should be liberally planted in clumps or masses. They may also be naturalized in grass, wild gardens, etc. For bedding they are superb, while as cut flowers, having long stems with flowers of great substance, they stand in perfect condition for a long time. In planting the bulbs should be set a little deeper than early tulips, a covering of 4 inches being about right.

The heights given after each variety are actual measurements taken at our trial grounds, May 10th to May 15th.

**Gesneriana Lutea.** This fine golden-yellow variety is considered one of the best (24 inches). 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**Gesneriana Spathulata Major.** A superb Tulip of strong yet graceful growth, and bearing very large flowers of an intense brilliant crimson scarlet. No words or picture can begin to do this Tulip justice. It should be planted in generous quantity (28 inches). 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**Inglescombe Pink.** A rare blending of buff and salmon. Most attractive both in form and coloring (18 inches). 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**Inglescombe Yellow.** Immense globular, rich yellow flowers has been aptly called the "Yellow Darwin," blooming at the same time as the Darwins, and supplying the lack of yellow in the Darwin class (20 inches). 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**John Ruskin.** A striking variety of wonderful coloring. Apricot-rose, shaded with mauve and margined with pale yellow. A lovely combination of colors. Flowers of largest size (16 inches). 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**La Merveille.** Very large, artistic blossoms of salmon-rose overlaid with orange-red; very effective (18 inches). 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**Moonlight.** Very large beautifully formed flowers of a delicate tint of primrose yellow. Justly considered the finest pale yellow Cottage Garden Tulip (25 inches). 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Mrs. Moon.** The largest and finest golden-yellow late Tulip (24 inches). 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100; \$55.00 per 1000.

**Orange King.** Immense globular flowers of great substance of brilliant orange-red shaded scarlet, the finest of this color (24 inches). 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

Six or more bulbs of a kind supplied at dozen rate, 25 or more at 100 rate, 250 or more at 1000 rate. If wanted by Parcel Post, add postage in accordance with note at foot of page.



GROUP OF COTTAGE GARDEN TULIPS

**Picotée, or Maiden Blush.** Pure white, daintily edged with pink, which suffuses the entire flower as it ages; a beautiful cut flower (24 inches). 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**Shandon Bells, Isabella, or Blushing Bride.** A pretty variety, opening a creamy yellow, tinted with blush, turning as the flower ages to a carmine pink, a charming transformation (18 inches). 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**The Fawn.** One of the most beautiful of all Tulips. A charming artistic shade of fawn or dove color, suffused with rose; a charming cut flower of wonderful lasting quality (20 inches). 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**May Flowering, or Cottage Garden, Mixed.** This is a splendid mixture made up of over 50 sorts of all colors. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

## COLLECTIONS OF MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS

The best way to get acquainted with the merits of this beautiful class is to grow one of the collections offered below.

3 each of the 12 sorts, 36 bulbs.....	\$2.00	12 each of the 12 sorts, 144 bulbs.....	\$6 25
6 each of the 12 sorts, 72 bulbs.....	3 50	25 each of the 12 sorts, 300 bulbs.....	12 00

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# DREER'S SUPERB DARWIN TULIPS

This magnificent May-flowering class has within the past few years by sheer force of their many merits forged their way to popularity by leaps and bounds, and are now grown by almost everybody who loves spring flowers; they are quite distinct in style of growth from the other late flowering sorts; stately in appearance, attaining a height of 24 to 30 inches, and bearing on long strong straight stems beautiful globular flowers of remarkably heavy texture, in a large range of colors, embracing almost every conceivable tint in rose, heliotrope, claret, maroon, crimson and other rich and rare shades. The only color in which they are deficient is yellow, and for this the May flowering Tulip Inglescombe Yellow, as well as the other yellow sorts, offered on page 33, supplies the wanted color perfectly. Unsurpassed for bedding and for cutting, and most of the varieties can be forced into bloom in March without much trouble. At the National Flower Show, held in Philadelphia, we exhibited a number of pans of these in bloom which attracted the attention and admiration of thousands of visitors.

We offer below a collection of six Super-superb sorts, covering the most wanted colors in sorts of extra high quality, while on the opposite page we list twenty-four of the finest standard varieties selected out of a large collection as being the best and most distinct.

## Six Super-Superb Darwin Tulips

We offer this collection especially for those who are particularly interested in this wonderful class of Tulips each being considered a great improvement in size and vigor over previous introductions of similar color.

SUPER-SUPERB DARWIN TULIPS

**Bleu Aimable.** A most beautiful clear lavender, flowers of largest size, very distinct and desirable. 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100; \$55.00 per 1000.

**Centenaire.** A beautiful and most distinct variety, with magnificent large flowers of perfect form held erect on strong, sturdy stems. Color of pleasing rich rosy-pink. \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100; \$75.00 per 1000.

**Faust.** Lustrous deep pansy-violet; very large flowers of splendid substance. 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.50 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**Flamingo.** One of the most beautiful and attractive of the newer sorts. Of a delicate shell pink color that is sure to make it popular when it becomes more plentiful. 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.50 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**Isis.** Flowers of largest size of an intense fiery scarlet with slightly deeper shadings, one of the showiest and most effective of the red Darwins. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Prince of the Netherlands.** This is one of the largest Darwins, the flowers being of enormous size and of very strong growth, in color a striking cerise-rose shading to a lighter tone at the edge of the petals. \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100; \$80.00 per 1000.

## COLLECTIONS OF SUPER-SUPERB DARWIN TULIPS

3 each of the above 6 sorts, 18 bulbs.....\$1 45  
6 each of the above 6 sorts, 36 bulbs..... 2 75

12 each of the above 6 sorts, 72 bulbs.....\$5 00  
25 each of the above 6 sorts, 150 bulbs..... 9 50

## DREER'S SUPERB DARWIN TULIPS MIXED

A grand mixture containing many of the beautiful colors for which this type is remarkable.

Price. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

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## GENERAL COLLECTION OF

# Dreer's Superb Darwin Tulips

**Ariadne.** Enormous bold, cup-shaped flowers of brilliant cochineal-red. 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100; \$55.00 per 1000.

**Baron de la Tonnaye.** A strong upright grower, with very large flowers of vivid rose-pink, toning to silvery-rose at the margin of the petals. 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**Clara Butt.** One of the most popular varieties, both for bedding and for forcing. The exquisite salmon-pink color of its large flowers is always greatly admired. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

**Dream.** Large cup-shaped flowers of soft rosy-mauve on a heliotrope ground, shading lighter on upper part of petals. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Edmee or Beauty.** A beautiful tone of cherry-rose with silvery-pink margins. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Farncombe Sanders.** One of the choicest varieties; flowers of very large size, of an effective rich geranium-scarlet tinged with rose. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Feu Brilliant.** A glorious glowing vermilion scarlet, large, beautifully formed flowers on strong stems. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000.

**Gretchen or Margaret.** The large globular flowers are of a delicate blush pink on the outside, inside soft rose, a very popular variety for cutting. 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**Harry Veitch.** Brilliant blood-red, shaded with brownish maroon, large flowers of splendid form; a fine bedder. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Inglescombe Yellow.** While this belongs to the May flowering Cottage Garden type, it is frequently called the "Yellow Darwin," fully described and offered on page 33.

**King Harold.** Rich deep mahogany red; a splendid dark variety. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**La Tristesse, or Dolores.** A very large flower of slaty-blue, with silvery-flush at margin; a lovely variety to associate with yellow Cottage Garden Tulips. 65 cts. per doz.; \$4.50 per 100; \$40.00 per 1000.

**La Tulipe Noire, or The Black Tulip.** The nearest approach to black in Tulips; very large flowers of glossy black with maroon tone. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Massenet, or The Dove.** A variety of delicate coloring, soft appleblossom pink, flushed with white on the margin. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000.

**Mme. Krelage.** Rosy-violet, toning to soft blush at edge of petals; a good strong grower and a satisfactory bedder. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Mrs. Potter Palmer or Mr. D. T. Fish.** Rich, glowing amaranth purple, a very distinct and striking color. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Phillippe de Communes.** Rich, deep, lustrous plum-purple; one of the best of the very dark sorts. 65 cts. per doz.; \$4.50 per 100; \$40.00 per 1000.

**Pride of Haarlem.** A favorite for bedding and forcing. Flowers very large, of an attractive old rose color; suffused and brightened by scarlet. 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**Princess Elizabeth.** Large flowers of perfect form of a rich rosy pink, becoming deeper as they develop. \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100; \$75.00 per 1000.

**Professor Rauwenhof.** Brilliant cherry-red, suffused scarlet, a very large and effective variety. 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.50 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**Rev. H. Ewbank.** A charming soft heliotrope, shaded lavender, the best of this color. 65 cts. per doz.; \$4.50 per 100; \$40.00 per 1000.

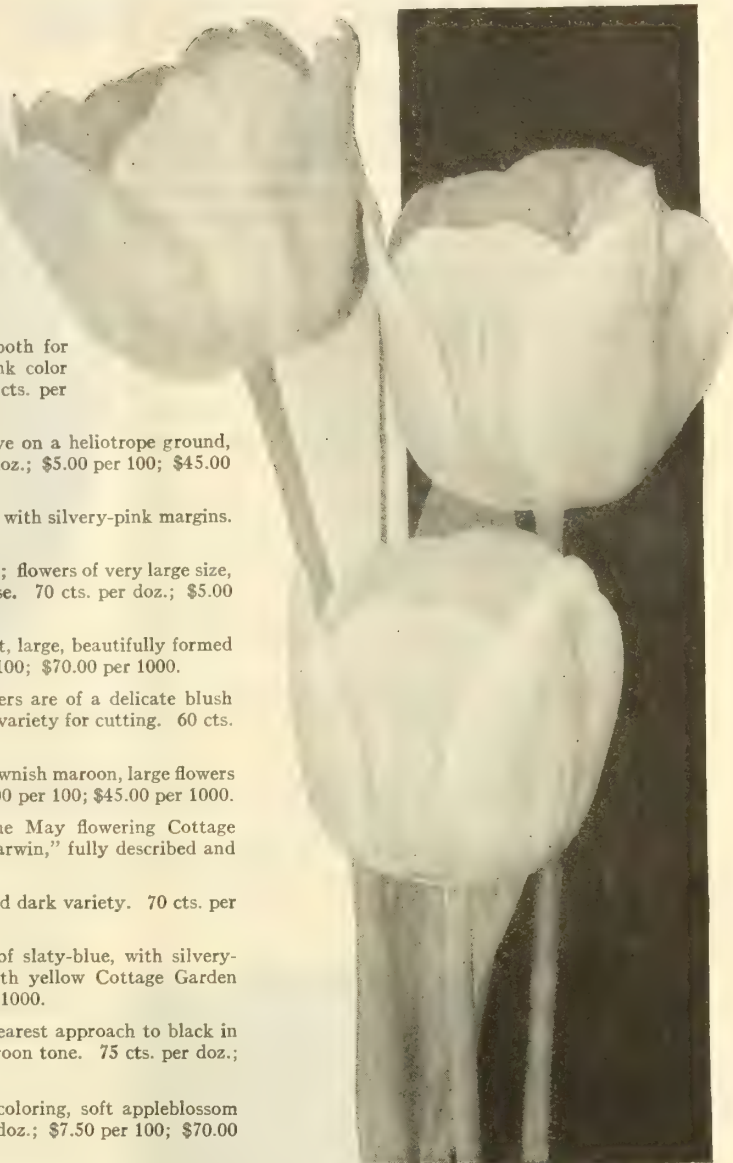
**Suzon.** Large, bold flowers of soft rosy flesh color margined with blush white, a very dainty coloring. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Valentine.** Large, beautifully formed flowers of a distinct metallic blue. An unusual and attractive color. 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100; \$55.00 per 1000.

**Whistler.** Enormous flowers of a vivid crimson-scarlet. 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.50 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**White Queen or La Candeur.** Large globular flowers of pure white, slightly tinted blush when opening. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Dreer's Superb Mixture.** Containing all the colors. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.



THE POPULAR SALMON-PINK DARWIN  
TULIP CLARA BUTT

## COLLECTIONS OF DARWIN TULIPS

3 each of the 24 sorts, 72 bulbs.....\$4 50  
6 each of the 24 sorts, 144 bulbs..... 8 00

12 each of the 24 sorts, 288 bulbs.....\$15 00  
25 each of the 24 sorts, 600 bulbs..... 28 00

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## Dreer's Famous Old Dutch or Breeder Tulips

This fine old May-flowering type has been neglected for many years, but are again becoming popular; in fact they have, for the past two or three years, been given great prominence in many of the strictly up-to-date gardens. They are very similar to the Darwins in their tall, strong growth, and with even larger flowers, and bloom about the same time, but have an entirely different range of colors, comprising bronze, terra-cotta, orange brown and other artistic tones that are altogether wanting in the Darwin.

We made a very exhaustive test of a great many kinds the past two seasons and the list offered below represents the best and most distinct sorts.

**Bronze Queen.** A finely formed large bronzy-yellow flower, the color being a soft buff, suffused with bronzy apricot; inside golden bronze. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

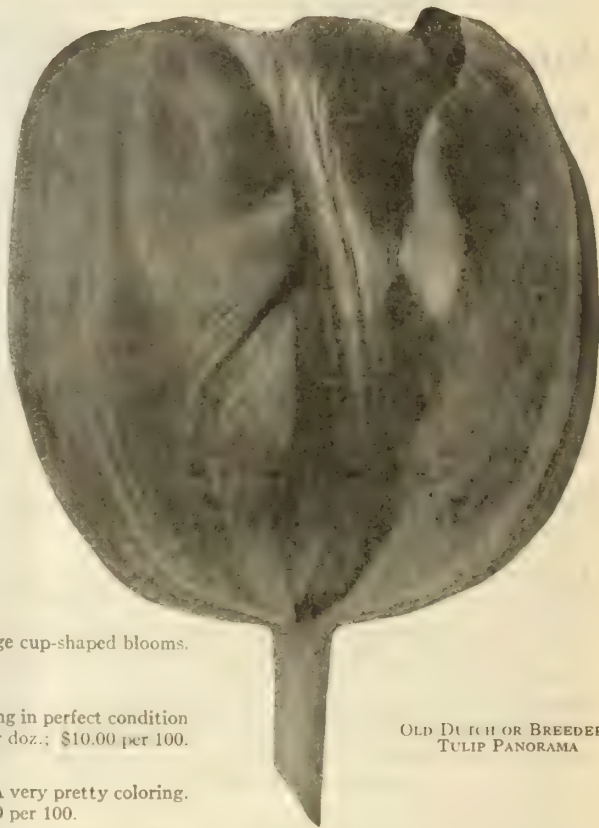
**Cardinal Manning or Kingscourt.** A curious blending of mauve and rose, which changes to a bronzy-orange at the edge of petals. Very attractive. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100

**Dom Pedro.** A handsome and distinct tulip of rich coffee-brown shaded maroon; inside mahogany-red. \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100.

**Feu Ardent.** A striking brick-red shaded mahogany. Very large cup-shaped blooms. \$1.50 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

**Godet Parfait.** Large flowers of remarkably heavy texture lasting in perfect condition for a long time, the color is rich luminous plum violet. \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**Klopstock.** Bishops violet shaded heliotrope, inside rosy lilac. A very pretty coloring. Flowers of good size on tall straight stems. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.



OLD DUTCH OR BREEDER  
TULIP PANORAMA



OLD DUTCH OR BREEDER  
TULIP VELVET KING

**Louis XIV.** Considered the most wonderful of all tulips. Very large goblet shaped flowers, of a bluish purple with golden brown margin and flushed bronze, a most striking variety. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.

**Panorama or Fairy.** One of the best, flowers of large size of deep orange-red or terra-cotta shaded mahogany. 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.50 per 100.

**Prince of Orange or Sunset.** Rich terra-cotta red, margined orange red. Very bright. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**Turenne or MacMahon.** One of the largest, egg-shaped flowers of a wonderful bronzy violet color, heavily margined with bronze yellow. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**Velvet King or Dreadnought.** Immense flowers of rich, royal deep purple, held erect on tall, stout stiff stems and lasting in good condition for a long time. \$1.75 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

**Yellow Perfection.** A lovely variety of light bronze-yellow edged and shaded golden-yellow. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**Choice Mixed.** A splendid mixture containing a great many varieties and colors. 65 cts. per doz.; \$4.50 per 100; \$40.00 per 1000.

### Collections of Old Dutch or Breeder Tulips

The growing of a collection of named sorts of any kind of Tulips is very interesting, and is especially true of these wonderful Old Dutch sorts.

3 each of the above 12 sorts, 36 bulbs.....	\$3 85
6 each of the above 12 sorts, 72 bulbs.....	7 00
12 each of the above 12 sorts, 144 bulbs.....	13 00
25 each of the above 12 sorts, 300 bulbs.....	25 00

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## Dreer's Superb Double Flowering Tulips

While not equal to the single in brilliancy, the double varieties last much longer in bloom. The early varieties, such as Murillo, Imperator Rubrorum and Tournesol, are excellent for forcing. The later sorts will not bear forcing, but are very effective in beds or borders. A combination or solid bed of the pure white and bright scarlet varieties, Boule de Neige and Rubra Maxima, is especially effective.

**Boule de Neige.** A splendid pure white, flower very large. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Couronne d'Or (Crown of Gold).** Golden-yellow, tinted orange; beautiful. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Golden Murillo.** The richest golden yellow tulip, very fine. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100; \$72.00 per 1000.

**Imperator Rubrorum.** Bright scarlet. 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100; \$55.00 per 1000.

**Pink Murillo.** Superb light pink. 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

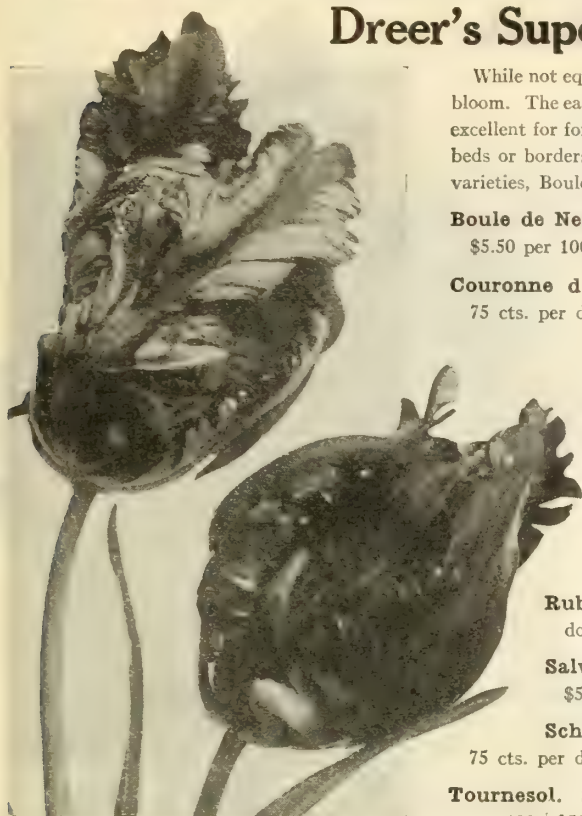
**Primrose Murillo, or Tea Rose.** Soft primrose-yellow shaded apricot. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Rubra Maxima.** Rich dark scarlet, a grand bedding sort. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Salvator Rosa.** Deep rosy pink. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Schoonoord, or White Murillo.** Considered the finest double white. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

**Tournesol.** Scarlet, broadly edged yellow. Fine forcer. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.



PARROT OR DRAGON TULIPS

## DREER'S SUPERB MIXED DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

A really fine mixture, having a good range of color, growing to the same height and blooming together. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

### COLLECTIONS OF DOUBLE TULIPS

3 each of the 10 varieties, 30 bulbs.....	\$2 00
6 each of the 10 varieties, 60 bulbs.....	3 50
12 each of the 10 varieties, 120 bulbs.....	6 50
25 each of the 10 varieties, 250 bulbs.....	12 50

### PARROT OR DRAGON TULIPS

Very large flowers of singular and picturesque forms and brilliant colors; very beautiful and interesting. The petals are curiously fringed or cut. They form extravagantly showy flower beds or borders, are of endless variety of form and color, stand a long time when cut, and should be grown in every flower garden in quantity.

**Cramoisi Brilliant.** Rich crimson with blackish markings.

**Lutea.** Clear yellow, feathered with red and green.

**Perfecta.** Striped yellow and red.

**Price.** Any of the above, 65 cts. per doz.; \$4.50 per 100; \$40.00 per 1000.

**Parrot Tulips, Mixed Colors.** A border of these resembles a rich Oriental rug in coloring. 55 cts. per doz.; \$3.75 per 100; \$32.00 per 1000.



DOUBLE TULIPS MURILLO

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## Dreer's Narcissus or Daffodils

### Special Notice

The Federal Horticultural Board has given notice that no Narcissus bulbs may be imported for sale after January 1, 1926.

This, therefore, is your last chance to secure high-grade imported stock at a reasonable price and would advise liberal purchases. After this year we will have to depend on American grown bulbs, the present supply of which seems inadequate to take care of the normal demand which together with the cost of production will undoubtedly result in prices advancing from 50% to 100%.

There are no hardy bulbous plants which have more points of merit than the Narcissus or Daffodils. Perfectly hardy, growing and doing well in almost any and every position, sun or shade, moist or dry. All conditions seem to suit them although they have a preference for a good, deep soil and semi-shaded position and every vacant corner in the garden, amongst the grass, under the trees, etc., etc., could not be used to better advantage than by filling with Narcissus, and every hardy border should have a number of clumps interspersed through it. They are equally suitable for pot culture for winter flowering. Three or four bulbs can be put into a 5-inch or 6-inch pan or pot, and, with the same treatment as given to Hyacinths, the dull winter and early spring months can be made bright with their exquisite gold and silver blossoms. But

it is outdoors that Narcissus do best, and once planted need little attention, the clumps as a rule multiplying and giving larger and finer results each year. We import only the highest grade of bulbs, mostly double nose

or mother bulbs, which will produce several flowers each, and must not be compared to the smaller, cheaper grade usually sent out.



GIANT TRUMPET NARCISSUS  
EMPEROR

## Giant Trumpet Narcissus

The Giant Trumpet sorts are the showiest of the genus, and also the most useful, growing easily either indoors or in the open ground. Everyone of the varieties of this type offered on this and the next page are deserving of extensive planting, and you can set out any of them with full assurance that you will get a bountiful harvest of blossoms in the spring.

**Bicolor Victoria.** A fine variety, perianth creamy-white, trumpet rich yellow, delicately perfumed; unsurpassed for pot culture, and always satisfactory out of doors. 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

**Emperor.** This grand variety is one of the largest and finest Daffodils in cultivation, pure yellow trumpet of immense size, and wide overlapping, rich primrose perianth; for bedding, naturalizing or growing in pots in the house it is unequalled. Much in demand for cutting. Extra large bulbs, 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100; \$82.00 per 1000.

**Empress.** This fitting companion to Emperor is also of strong, robust growth, with fine large flowers; the perianth snow white, trumpet rich yellow, serrated and flanged at the edges; one of the best bi-colors and of rare beauty for cutting. Extra large bulbs, 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100; \$82.00 per 1000.

**Giant Princes.** One of the most popular; perianth sulphur white; trumpet rich yellow. As a forcing variety it is superior in every way, and a fine sort for naturalizing. 10 cts. each; 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100; \$55.00 per 1000.

**Glory of Leiden.** This grand variety has been well named the "King of Daffodils," being one of the most massive of the Giant Trumpet varieties. The large trumpet is rich yellow, perianth pale yellow with occasional deeper yellow markings. It is of strong, vigorous habit and of the easiest culture, being just as much at home when grown in pots indoors as it is in the open ground. 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100; \$82.00 per 1000.

GIANT TRUMPET NARCISSUS, GLORY OF LEIDEN

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## Giant Trumpet Narcissus



GIANT TRUMPET NARCISSUS OLYMPIA

**Olympia.** This remarkably fine Daffodil might briefly be described as a greatly improved Emperor, being much larger in size and of a richer, deeper color. It is a wonderfully strong grower, with fine broad, blue green foliage, and its bold majestic yet artistic flowers are produced very freely. This is surely one of the coming Daffodils. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.

**Trumpet Major.** A large and shapely flower of a rich yellow color throughout. Comes into bloom early, and is excellent for forcing, bedding or naturalizing. 7 cts. each; 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Van Waveren's Giant.** This is claimed to be the largest of all Narcissus. We have tried it many times, and it has always produced the largest flowers of any. The huge blossoms are held erect on strong, stiff flower stalks, perianth soft primrose-yellow with an immense bright yellow trumpet. Strong, vigorous grower, and just as satisfactory for growing in pots as it is for the garden. 40 cts. each; \$4.00 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

### Collections of Giant Trumpet Narcissus

The eleven Giant Trumpet sorts offered on this and page 38 are all extra fine and quite distinct. The growing of a complete collection is very interesting, and can be done either in pots indoors or in the garden.

3 each of the 11 Giant sorts, 33 bulbs.....	\$4 50
6 each of the 11 Giant sorts, 66 bulbs.....	8 00
12 each of the 11 Giant sorts, 132 bulbs.....	15 00
25 each of the 11 Giant sorts, 275 bulbs.....	27 50

**Note.**—Secure your full requirements of Narcissus bulbs this season as no more can be imported for sale after January, 1926. We expect to have American grown bulbs next season, but the supply will be limited and prices much higher than now.

**Golden Spur.** The most popular of the golden-yellow trumpets with cut flower growers, as it produces freely and early its handsome rich, deep yellow flowers. It is just as valuable out of doors as for forcing. A strong, vigorous grower, always doing well. Extra large bulbs, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000.

**King Alfred.** This wonderfully beautiful Daffodil is considered the largest and finest deep golden yellow Trumpet variety.

A tall, strong grower, with magnificent frilled trumpet and large perianth, all of a uniform rich golden-yellow of splendid heavy texture, lasting well. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

**Mme. de Graaff.** A magnificent flower, the perianth is snow white, the large trumpet is slightly tinted with primrose, which changes to white, has been well named "The Queen of Daffodils." 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100; \$80.00 per 1000.



GIANT TRUMPET NARCISSUS MME. DE GRAAFF

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## Star Narcissus or Daffodils

**Note.** No Narcissus bulbs may be imported for sale after January, 1926. Secure your full requirements this season.

This class is also known as the chalice-cup or medium trumpets, and comprises some of the most beautiful and graceful forms. All are suitable for growing indoors in pots or pans, and are specially adapted for naturalizing, being of free growth and multiplying rapidly.

**Barrii Conspicuus.** Perianth soft yellow; broad spreading cup, magnificently illuminated with scarlet; a most distinct and beautiful sort, and should be grown in quantity for cutting, as it lasts longer when cut than most sorts. 7 cts. each; 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Barrii Lady Godiva.** This beautiful variety is known as the White Barrii Conspicuus, it being identical to that grand sort, excepting that instead of being yellow the perianth is white; cup rich yellow, edged bright orange-scarlet, a very effective combination; a strong grower and exceptionally free-flowering. 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100.

**Incomparabilis Autocrat.** A showy and free-growing variety, with large star-shaped flowers, perianth rich yellow with deeper yellow wide expanded crown or cup; a splendid sort for pots or for outside planting. (See cut.) 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**Incomparabilis Torch.** A tall, strong grower and very effective, flowers 4 inches across, star-shaped, deep yellow perianth, orange cup edged deeper. 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100.

**Incomparabilis Sir Watkin.** "Giant Chalice Flower," or "Big Welshman." A gigantic flower, the largest in this section; perianth sulphur-yellow, cup slightly deeper in color and tinged with orange; fine for pot culture; in fact, does well everywhere. Extra large bulbs, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$65.00 per 1000.



NARCISSUS INCOMPARABILIS AUTOCRAT

**Incomparabilis Lucifer.** One of the showiest and most striking varieties; the flowers, which are produced with remarkable freedom, averaging three to a bulb, are of large size, the perianth pure white, while the crown or trumpet is a brilliant orange-scarlet, the contrast being decided and producing an effect that attracts the attention of everyone. We strongly recommend this unusually brilliant Daffodil. (See cut.) 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$65.00 per 1000.

**Leedsii Evangeline.** A free-flowering, strong growing sort, with pure white perianth and delicate primrose cup; charming for pots and for naturalizing. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**Leedsii White Lady.** An exquisite flower with broad pure white overlapping petals and dainty cup, prettily crinkled, of a beautiful pale canary yellow shade; very free bloomer and of great value for cutting. 10 cts. each; 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.50 per 100.

### Collections of Star Narcissus

3 each of the 8 sorts, 24 bulbs.....	\$2 15
6 each of the 8 sorts, 48 bulbs.....	3 75
12 each of the 8 sorts, 96 bulbs.....	7 00
25 each of the 8 sorts, 200 bulbs.....	13 50



NARCISSUS INCOMPARABILIS LUCIFER

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# The Poet's Narcissus

(*Narcissus Poeticus*)

**Note.**—No *Narcissus* bulbs may be imported for sale after January, 1926. Secure your full requirements this season.

This is the old-fashioned favorite type; all have snowy white flowers, with yellow or lemon cups margined more or less deeply with red and with rich, spicy odor. All do well in the open border, or naturalized in grass, are perfectly hardy, and once planted take care of themselves.

**Poeticus** (*Pheasant's Eye* or *Poet's Narcissus*). Flowers snow-white, with beautiful lemon-yellow cup edged with bright orange-red. 45 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

**Poeticus Ornatus.** More symmetrical than the old *Poeticus*, and blooms almost a month earlier; flowers large, pure white, cup margined with scarlet. Extra large bulbs, 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Poeticus King Edward VII** (*Almira*). An improvement on *Ornatus*, being a stronger grower, producing larger flowers of purest white, with yellow cup margined with scarlet; very early. 10 cts. each; 90 cts. per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.

**Poeticus Thelma.** We consider this the finest *Poet's Narcissus* yet introduced. The wide overlapping substantial petals are of snowy-white, the broad light yellow cup distinctly margined with deep scarlet. A strong, free grower and bloomer. Extra fine. 20 cts. each; \$1.75 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

## Collections of Poet's Narcissus

3 each of the 4 sorts.....	\$0 95	12 each of the 4 sorts.....	\$3 35
6 each of the 4 sorts.....	1 80	25 each of the 4 sorts.....	6 50



NARCISSUS POETAZ

## Narcissus Poetaz

(Cluster-flowered Daffodils)

These are a cross between the *Poeticus* and *Polyanthus* types, partaking largely of the former in the size and form of the individual flowers, and also inherits the strong, free growth of their *Poeticus* parentage. In the manner of producing their flowers in clusters, and in extreme free-flowering qualities, they possess all the merits of the *Polyanthus* type. They are as easily flowered in the house in winter as the *Paper White Polyanthus*, and are considered by many as better than the *Polyanthus*, and offer a larger variety in coloring. Can be planted out of doors if well covered during the winter. We offer three fine varieties:

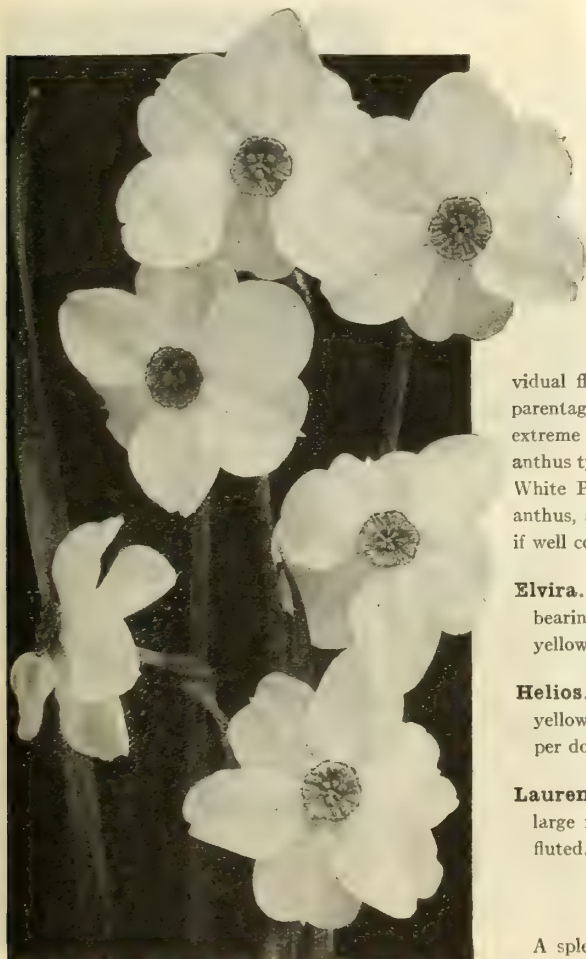
**Elvira.** Very free-flowering, producing a number of stems to a bulb; each bearing 3 to 4 large flowers, with broad, heavy white petals and a bright yellow cup, edged orange. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**Helios.** The best yellow variety. Petals soft primrose-yellow, deep golden-yellow cup; flowers of good size, produced in clusters. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**Laurens Koster.** One of the latest introductions, and producing very large flowers; perianth pure white with deep orange-yellow cup prettily fluted. 3 to 4 flowers on a stem. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

## Single Mixed Narcissus

A splendid mixture, containing a great many fine varieties, and sure to produce satisfactory returns. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.



NARCISSUS POETICUS THELMA

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DOUBLE NARCISSUS, ORANGE PHOENIX

### Double Mixed Narcissus

A very good mixture containing some each of the various varieties. Excellent for planting or for cutting. 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

### Collections of Double Daffodils

6 each of the 4 varieties, 24 bulbs.....	\$1 60
12 each of the 4 varieties, 48 bulbs.....	3 00
25 each of the 4 varieties, 100 bulbs.....	5 50

## Jonquils

Jonquils are a small flowering type of Narcissus, and are prized for their graceful, golden, fragrant blossoms, and the ease with which they may be grown. Half a dozen bulbs can be put in a 5-inch pot, and with the same treatment as recommended for Hyacinths (see page 29), a fine display can be had from January to April. Liberal planting should be made outdoors. A clump of 50 or more bulbs put here and there among the shrubbery, or interspersed in the hardy border, or naturalized in the grass, give an indescribably rich effect in the early spring, while a vase of the cut blooms will fill a room with the rich, spicy odor.

**Single Sweet-scented** (*Narcissus Jonquilla*). Rich buttery-yellow; not as large a flower as the others, but most fragrant and very free-flowering. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

**Campernelle** (*Narcissus Odorous*). A grand variety, producing freely very sweetly scented yellow flowers; a strong grower, doing well in almost any position. 65 cts. per doz.; \$4.50 per 100; \$40.00 per 1000.

**Campernelle Rugulosus**. The largest and finest of all Jonquils; a handsome flower; color pure yellow; very fragrant. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Odorous Plenus** (*Double Campernelle Jonquil*). A charming variety bearing on tall graceful stems, double yellow fragrant flowers of elegant form. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.

## Double Narcissus

**Note.**—No Narcissus bulbs may be imported for sale after January, 1926. Secure your full requirements this season.

No collection of Narcissus is complete without the double-flowering sorts. While not as attractive as many of the single varieties, and lacking variety of coloring, they possess a charm peculiarly their own. All are perfectly hardy and are much in demand for cutting.

**Alba Plena Odorata** (*Double Poet's Narcissus or Gardenia Daffodil*). Double pure white; very sweet scented. This beautiful variety cannot be forced. It succeeds best planted in rather heavy soil, in partial shade, and where it will not suffer for lack of moisture. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Orange Phoenix** (*Eggs and Bacon*). Light citron with orange centre; a beautiful artistic blossom and easily forced. 8 cts. each; 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100; \$55.00 per 1000.

**Sulphur or Silver Phoenix** (*Codlins and Cream*). Creamy white with pale sulphur centre. Considered the finest of the double sorts. 8 cts. each; 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100; \$55.00 per 1000.

**Van Sion** (*Telamonius Plenus*). The famous old Dutch Daffodil; flowers golden yellow. This variety is used in enormous quantities for forcing; also excellent for bedding in conjunction with Hyacinths, flowering at the same time and presenting a beautiful contrast when used with a blue variety. *Extra Selected Double-nosed Bulbs*. Each bulb will produce at least two flowers, and frequently three or more. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$65.00 per 1000.



DOUBLE NARCISSUS VAN SION

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## Polyanthus Narcissus

Beautiful free-flowering, deliciously sweet scented flowers of the easiest culture; suitable for forcing in soil or prepared fibre or for growing in water. This is the last time we will be able to supply imported bulbs of these, their importation for sale being prohibited after January, 1926.

**Paper White Grandiflora.** An improved large flowering form, and without doubt the easiest of all bulbs to grow in the house, either in soil, prepared fibre or water. We offer two sizes, as under:

*Extra Selected Bulbs.* 6 cts. each; 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

*Mammoth Bulbs.* Of special value for growing in water. 7 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Double Roman.** White with double yellow centre; very fragrant. 7 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

**Gloriosa.** A very pretty variety, with pure white flowers, with rich orange cup. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**Grand Monarque.** Fine large trusses of white flowers, with primrose cup. 8 cts. each; 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

**Grand Soleil d'Or.** A charming rich yellow flower with deep reddish cup. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**Mixed Polyanthus Narcissus.** 7 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

## Chinese Sacred Lily

Soy Sin Far, Joss Flower, or Flower of the Gods

This is the *Narcissus Orientalis*, and is the variety grown by Chinamen for decorating their temples or Joss houses on their New Year's Day, which occurs in February. For the most part they are grown in water in fancy bowls, with just enough pebbles around them to keep them from toppling over. They can also be grown in pots in soil, sand or bulb fibre, and if planted on arrival (about October 1st) they will flower by Christmas, and a succession of flowers can be had by making several plantings. The white and yellow flowers are borne in clusters, and are highly scented. *Large Bulbs*, 20 cts. each; \$1.75 per doz.; Original baskets, containing 30 bulbs, \$4.00.



NARCISSE PAPER WHITE GRANDIFLORA  
Grown in a bowl in water and pebbles

## CROCUS

This brilliant and universally admired spring flower will thrive in any soil or situation, but to be brought to the highest perfection it should be grown in an open bed or border of deep, rich sandy loam. For complete cultural notes see our book, "*Hints on the Growing of Bulbs*." Price, 25 cts.; or sent free to customers if asked for at time of ordering.

### DREER'S GIANT NAMED CROCUS

These are large bulbs of the best of the newer hybrid and standard varieties, and are remarkable for richness of color and size of their flowers, and are the best to use where extra fine results are wanted.

**Caesar.** Very large flowers of rich purple

**Kathleen Parlow.** The finest pure white of the new hybrids, extra large cup-shaped flowers with orange anthers.

**King of the Whites.** The best pure white of the older sorts.

**Mammoth Yellow.** Golden yellow, very large bulbs producing a mass of flowers.

**Pallas.** A very showy new hybrid, flowers prettily striped lilac on a white ground; orange anthers.

**Purpurea Grandiflora.** The richest purple of the standard sorts; very effective.

**Price.** Any of the above, in selected bulbs, 45 cts. per doz.; \$2.75 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

### MIXED CROCUS

The bulbs offered under this head are smaller than the Giant Named sorts offered above, but are quite satisfactory for planting in the grass or for any position out of doors.

	PER DOZ.	PER 100	PER 1000
<b>Blue and Purple sorts.....</b>	\$0 30	\$1 50	\$12 50
<b>Striped sorts.....</b>	30	1 50	12 50
<b>White sorts.....</b>	30	1 50	12 50
<b>Large Yellow, good bulbs.....</b>	30	1 75	15 00

**All Colors Mixed.** 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.40 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.



DREER'S GIANT NAMED CROCUS



# MISCELLANEOUS BULBS AND ROOTS

Our offerings this season of miscellaneous bulbs and roots have been enlarged by the addition of some of the old favorites, such as Chionodoxas, Snowdrops, Scillas, etc. Their importation for sale will not be permitted after January, 1926, and it is suggested to secure high-grade stock this season at reasonable prices. We hope to give a more complete list in our regular Autumn Catalogue, ready early in September.



DREER'S AMERICAN HYBRID AMARYLLIS

## Amaryllis (Hippeastrum)

**Dreer's Giant American Hybrid.** There is nothing that will give the amateur greater pleasure for the window garden than these giant-flowering Amaryllis that are so easily managed. The strain we offer is the finest that has ever been produced in this country, strong bulbs throwing vigorous stems with from four to six gigantic blooms of the most perfect form, ranging in color from pure white grounds with varied markings of rose, red and crimson to the richest self colors as scarlet, crimson, bright red, cherry, and almost maroon. Cultural leaflet free on request. We can supply either in mixture of light shades or in dark shades. Large strong bulbs, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.; \$60.00 per 100.

## Giant French or Poppy-flowered Anemones

Charming spring flowers, and becoming better known and more popular as a garden flower. They are suitable for pot or border culture, and when planted in masses are most effective. They succeed best in a light rich, well-drained loam. Plant in November, and cover with leaves, straw or long manure on the approach of winter. For pot culture, fill with any rich, porous compost, with good drainage, planting 4 roots in a 5-inch pot; place in a cold frame, or any moderately cool situation, giving very little water until the plants appear; then remove to greenhouse or sitting-room window. Mixed, containing a wonderful range of colors, including blue, rose, white, scarlet, etc. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

## St. Brigid Anemones

A celebrated Irish strain of semi-double flowering Poppy Anemones, in a multitude of charming colors, ranging from pure white to deepest maroon, including all intermediate shades, such as rose, red, pink, blue, etc., etc. They require the same treatment as the Poppy Anemones offered above. Mixed colors, \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.50 per 100.

## CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow)

**Luciliae.** One of the most beautiful of our spring-flowering bulbs, coming into flower soon after the snow is gone. Grows well in any good garden soil, and when once planted requires no further care. Flowers of brilliant sky-blue color, with white centre. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

## Calla Lilies

(Arum Lilies or Lily of the Nile)

**White Calla** (*Richardia Aethiopica*). The White Calla, or Lily of the Nile, is a well-known plant of easy culture, and in winter is one of our best window plants. To aid profuse blooming keep them dormant from the middle of June until the last of August; repot as soon as received in good, rich soil, using 6- to 8-inch pot; give water, light and heat in abundance, and the result will be most satisfactory.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
Extra large roots.....	\$0 30	\$3 00	\$20 00
Mammoth roots.....	40	4 00	30 00

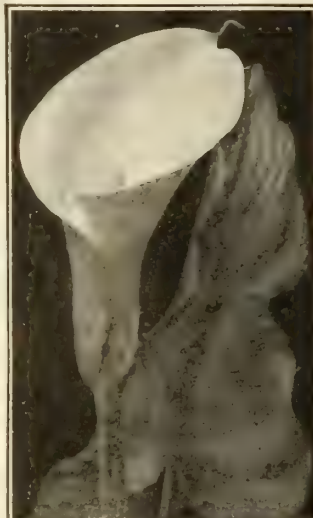
**Godfrey Everblooming White Calla.** This is a great improvement over the ordinary White Calla, especially for the amateur, being of even freer growth and much more floriferous over a longer season, the flowers, while a trifle smaller than the old-fashioned Calla, are of purer white and delicately scented. Strong flowering roots, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

**Golden Yellow Calla** (*Richardia Elliottiana*). This is the best of the yellow Callas, its flowers being as large as the popular white variety, but of a rich, lustrous golden yellow of velvety texture; the foliage is dark green, with translucent creamy-white spots, which adds much to its beauty. Strong bulbs, ready end of October, 40 cts. each; \$4.00 per doz.

## Dielytra, or Dicentra

**Spectabilis** (*Bleeding Heart*, or *Seal Flower*).

An old-fashioned favorite; its long racemes of graceful heart-shaped pink flowers are always attractive; it is used largely for forcing, and is perfectly at home in any part of the hardy border, and especially valuable for planting in the shade. Strong clumps, ready in October, 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.



WHITE CALLA LILY



CHIONODOXA

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**Eranthis Hyemalis**

(Winter Aconite)

A pretty yellow flower, valuable for its early blooming and contrasting well with the Snowdrops, which are the only flowers to keep it company at the early season in which it blooms. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

**Freesias**

This is one of the most beautiful of all Cape bulbs, possessing a peculiar grace of form; and its fragrance is most delightful. For full cultural directions see our book, "*Hints on the Growing of Bulbs.*" Price, 25 cts., or free to customers who ask for it when ordering.

**Dreer's Improved Purity.** The finest and purest white variety yet introduced; of strong growth and with very large flowers.

	Doz.	100	1000
Selected bulbs.....	\$0 40	\$2 50	\$20 00
Mammoth bulbs.....	60	4 00	35 00

**General Pershing.** A sensational new variety of strong robust habit, attaining a height of nearly 3 feet, and bearing large open flowers of a pleasing violet-rose or lavender-pink with a yellow throat and lip. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100.

**California.** A splendid strong growing golden-yellow variety. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100.

**Mrs. Marc Peter.** Attractive deep rosy salmon, lower petals blotched orange and yellow. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100.

**Splendens.** A beautiful large flowering pure lavender. 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100.

**Rainbow Mixture.** A wonderfully improved stock of the colored Freesias, comprising a large number of beautiful shades of yellow, blue, violet, mauve, pink, lavender, etc. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.



DREER'S IMPROVED PURITY FREESIAS

**Fritillaria**

**Meleagris** (*Snake's Head or Guinea Hen Flower*). An elegant species, growing from 10 to 18 inches high, bearing in spring curious drooping bell-shaped flowers, most of which are very oddly marked, many being checkered and splashed white and purple, cream and maroon, etc., etc. Perfectly hardy and splendid for naturalizing, especially in semi-shaded places. Mixed colors, 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**Funkia** (Plantain Lily)

The Plantain Lilies are among the easiest plants to manage; their broad massive foliage makes them attractive subjects for the border even when not in flower. They succeed equally well in sun or shade; ready in October.

**Lanceolata.** Valuable by reason of its late flowering, lilac flowers in September; 2 feet.

**Subcordata Grandiflora.** Very large, pure white, lily-shaped, fragrant flowers in August and September; 2½ to 3 feet. 35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

**Undulata media picta.** Green and white variegated foliage; purple flowers. Makes a fine edging; July; 2 feet.

**Price,** except where noted, 30 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

**Spanish Iris** (*Iris Hispanica*)

These beautiful bulbous Iris have appropriately been called the "Orchids of the Hardy Flower Garden." For best effects they should be planted in beds or groups of twenty-five or more, the larger the number the finer the effect. They grow from 18 to 24 inches high, and bloom from the end of May on through June.

We have secured a limited quantity of extra strong home-grown bulbs, and offer as under:

**Belle Chinoise.** Rich buttercup yellow.

**Excelsior.** Exquisite light blue flowers of largest size.

**King of the Blues.** Rich dark blue shaded lighter.

**Queen Wilhelmina.** The finest white.

**Price.** Any of the above, 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100.

**Mixed.** Containing all colors, 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.



SPANISH IRIS

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## TWELVE NEW IRIS GERMANICA

It gives us real pleasure to offer this collection, which has been selected as the most distinct and desirable from the largest commercial collection in the country. Ready early in October.

**Alcazar.** Standards soft bluish-violet overlaid bronze; falls dark nigrosin-violet with white markings and bronzy-purple veins.

**Candelabra.** Standards lavender with lilac suffusion; base spotted with dark purple; falls dark purple with almost black shadings, reticulated with white.

**Caprice.** Almost a self-colored Chinese-violet; reticulations of white and deep purple at the base of the petals being the only exception.

**Caterina.** An exquisite shade of pure lavender-blue; the color being uniform in both standards and falls.

**Cherubim.** Standards pale mauve; falls pinkish-lilac reticulated with brownish-purple at the lower half of the petals.

**Eldorado.** Standards, bronzy-violet, passing to yellow with brown reticulation at base; falls light-violet purple, lip overlaid with bronze; base yellow with brown pencilings.

**Isofine.** Standards vinaceous-lilac suffused with bronze; falls light purple overlaid with bronze; base of petals yellow with brown reticulations; golden yellow beard.

**Jean d'Arc.** The color of both standards and falls is pure white with light blue pencilings.

**Nuee d'Orange.** (*Storm Cloud*). Standards a peculiar shade of greyish-lavender; falls lavender-violet with bronzy suffusion and deep purplish-brown reticulation at base.

**Oriflamme.** Standards soft bluish-lavender; falls purplish violet with brown reticulation on a white ground at base of petals.

**Parisiana.** Standards Chinese-violet shot with white at centre; falls white reticulated and spotted with Chinese-violet at edges.

**Prosper Laugier.** Luminous bronzy-drab colored standards; the falls a rich velvety blackish maroon with brownish pencilings and yellow reticulations at base and golden beard.



IRIS GERMANICA

**Price.** Any of the above; 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.; \$35.00 per 100. The set of 12 varieties for \$5.00.

## SEVEN SUPERB IRIS GERMANICA

A splendid collection of popular newer varieties with flowers of largest size, perfect form and wonderful coloring. Ready in October.

**King of Iris.** Standards clear lemon, falls deep satiny-brown, with a broad border of golden-yellow.

**Lohengrin.** Deep violet mauve.

**Loreley.** Deep ultramarine-blue, more or less veined with creamy-white and bordered sulphur-yellow.

**Mithras.** Standards pale yellow, falls violet, shaded with claret and yellow border.

**Nibelungen.** Standards fawn-yellow, falls violet-blue, with fawn margin.

**Princess Victoria Louise.** Standards pure sulphur-yellow, falls rich plum color, with cream-colored edges.

**Rhein Nixe.** Standards pure white, falls deep violet-blue, with white margin.

**Price.** Any of the above, 35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz. Set of the 7 sorts, a fine collection, \$2.25.

## TWO GREAT IRIS GERMANICA (In Golden Yellow and Royal Purple)

**Golden Yellow** (*Sherwin-Wright*). In this we have a good vigorous growing, free-flowering, golden-yellow Iris Germanica.

**Price.** Either of the above, ready in October;

**Royal Purple** (*Atropurpurea*). A splendid, large very free-flowering, pure, rich royal purple, without the slightest shadings.

35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

## General Collection of Iris Germanica

**Bridesmaid.** Standards pale lavender; falls white, reticulated lavender.

**Cherion.** Standards lilac-mauve; falls violet-mauve

**Florentina Alba.** Very free-flowering white.

**Her Majesty.** Standards and falls bright mauve.

**Honorabilis.** Standards golden-yellow; falls rich mahogany-brown.

**Johan de Witt.** Standards bluish-violet; falls deep violet-purple, veined with white.

**Mme. Chereau.** Standards and falls pure white; daintily edged with light blue.

**Price.** Any of the above, ready in October; 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100. Set of 12 varieties for \$2.00.

**President Lincoln.** Standards bronzy drab; falls velvety maroon with brownish pencilings.

**Queen of May.** Pleasing soft rosy lilac.

**Rembrandt.** Standards light lavender; falls deeper.

**Shakespeare.** Standards straw-yellow, veined with burnt umber; falls deep carmine-violet.

**Walneri.** Standards parma-violet, shading lighter toward the edges; falls bluish-violet.

**Iris Germanica Mixed Varieties** 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

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## Japanese Iris (*Iris Kaempferi*)

The improved forms of this beautiful flower have placed them in the same rank popularly as the Hardy Phloxes and Peonies. Coming into flower about the middle of June, and continuing for five or six weeks, they fill in a period when flowers of this attractive type are particularly welcome.

They succeed in almost any soil and position, but like rich soil and plenty of water when they are forming their buds and developing their flowers.

Valuable as cut flowers, for which purpose they should be cut in the bud state, permitting the blooms to expand in water.

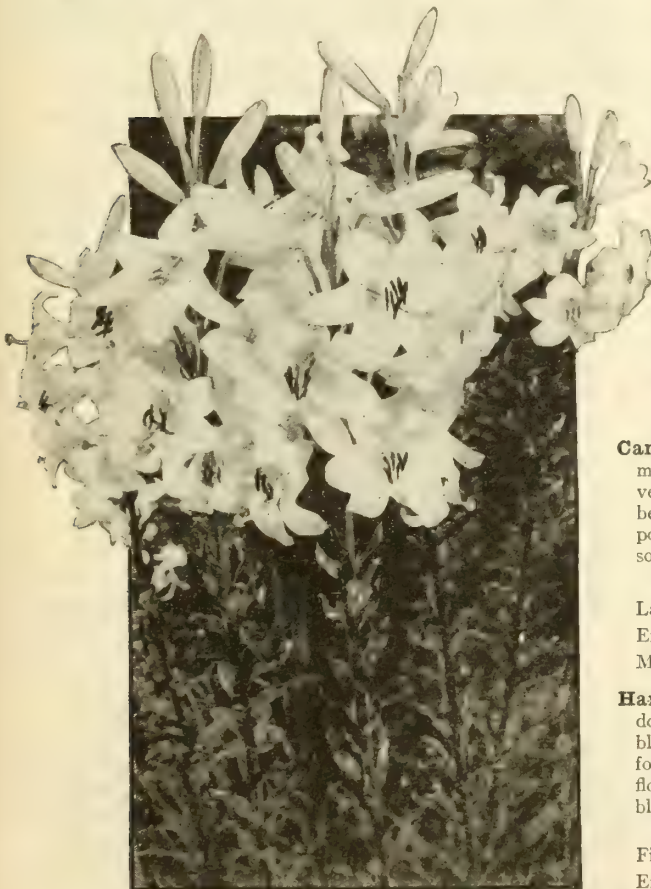
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4. **Yomo-no-umi.** Fine free-flowering creamy-white; 6 petals.
5. **Koki-no-iro.** Rich royal purple, white veinings; 6 petals.
6. **Date-dogu.** Rich violet purple with metallic sheen; 3 petals.
10. **Shiga-no-ura-nami.** Violet purple veined white; 6 petals.
16. **Kumoma-no-sura.** Silvery white delicately suffused with light blue; 3 petals.
31. **Rinho.** A rich lively purple; 6 petals.
43. **Shi-un-ryo.** Greyish white deeply and densely veined and suffused with violet; 3 petals.
55. **Shuchiukwa.** Crimson-purple with large white veins and centre.
71. **Gei-sho-i.** Large bright purple with white veins; 6 petals.
94. **Kumochi-guma.** Rich velvety pansy violet; 6 petals.
105. **Nagano.** Rich violet-purple, shaded with blue; 6 petals.
109. **Hosokawa.** Rich purple with white veinings.

**Price.** Any of the above, ready in October, 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.; \$35.00 per 100. Set of 12 sorts for \$5.00.

## Japanese Iris in Mixture

Ready in October, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.



MADONNA OR CANDIDUM LILIES



JAPANESE IRIS

## IXIAS (*African Corn Lily*)

These charming, half-hardy bulbs from the Cape of Good Hope are very ornamental for indoor culture, or planted in cold frames or out-doors in well-drained and protected borders. The flowers are of the most brilliant, rich and varied hues. We offer them in mixture, 45 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

## LEUCOJUM VERNUM

(*Spring Snowflake*)

Pretty bulbous plants allied to the Snowdrop, but of much stronger and bolder habit growing in rich soil from 1 to 2 feet high, and producing freely beautiful large white flowers distinctly tipped with green. Once planted they take care of themselves. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

## LILIUMS (*Lilies*)

The two varieties offered below are expected to be ready for delivery late in August or early in September. Other sorts will be offered in our Autumn Catalogue.

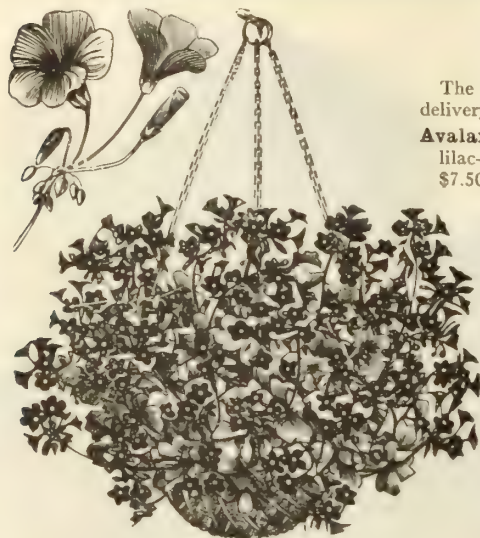
**Candidum** (*Annunciation or Madonna Lily*). This is one of the most popular of garden Lilies. The flowers pure snow-white and very fragrant, borne on long stems. To succeed with it, it should be planted early in the autumn; give the bulbs a light dusting with powdered sulphur, and do not cover with more than 2 inches of soil; 3 to 4 feet; May and June.

	Each	Doz.	100
Large bulbs.....	\$0 35	\$3 00	\$20 00
Extra large bulbs.....	50	4 50	30 00
Mammoth bulbs.....	60	5 50	40 00

**Harrisii** (*Bermuda Easter Lily*). This magnificent Lily is undoubtedly the best for winter forcing, as it comes quickly into bloom. The flowers are trumpet-shaped, pure white, gracefully formed and delightfully fragrant. The freedom with which the flowers are produced is truly remarkable, even the smallest bulbs blooming freely.

	Each	Doz.
Fine bulbs, 6 to 7 inches.....	\$0 25	\$2 50
Extra bulbs, 7 to 9 inches.....	40	4 00
Mammoth bulbs, 9 to 11 inches.....	80	8 00

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BERMUDA BUTTERCUP OXALIS

### MUSCARI (Grape Hyacinths)

One of the prettiest of early spring flowering bulbs, growing about 6 inches high, and throwing up numerous spikes of flowers, which resemble a miniature inverted bunch of grapes. They are perfectly hardy, and once planted take care of themselves, and for this reason they are largely used for naturalizing, especially amongst the grass and in woods or other shady places.

**Blue Grape Hyacinths.** Clear blue. 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000.

**White Grape Hyacinths.** (*Pearls of Spain*). Pure white. 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**Heavenly Blue Grape Hyacinths.** A strong growing variety producing much larger spikes of flowers than the ordinary Blue Grape Hyacinth. Color clear light blue; very showy. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

### OXALIS

These are profuse bloomers, and very attractive in the house or conservatory during the winter. Plant 3 or 4 bulbs in a pot or hanging basket, which should be kept close to the light to prevent the foliage from growing too long.

**Bermuda Buttercup.** One of the finest of winter flowering plants for pot culture; of strong, luxuriant growth. The great profusion of bloom produced in uninterrupted abundance for weeks is astonishing. The flowers are of the purest bright buttercup-yellow.

**Grand Duchess.** Comparatively new varieties of great beauty, of dwarf, sturdy growth, throwing their large, exquisite flowers well above the foliage. Extremely free-flowering, never being out of bloom from November till June. One of the most desirable for window culture. We offer them in three distinct colors, viz., **Pink, White and Lavender.**

**Price** of any of the above, 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

**Mixed Oxalis**, containing all the colors. 4 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

### Double French Hybrid Ranunculus

These beautiful dwarf-flowering bulbs delight in a cool, moist atmosphere, and will repay extra care in cultivation. The curious tooth-like bulb may be kept out of the ground without injury for a long time, and if planted in spring in a cool, shady situation will generally give satisfactory results. They are also desirable for pot culture and for growing in frames in spring.

We offer a splendid mixture containing all the brilliant colors for which this strain is famous. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

## Double Herbaceous Peonies

The twelve varieties offered below are extra fine. We offer strong roots ready for delivery early in October.

**Avalanche.** Large compact white blooms with cream-white collar, center tinted lilac-white and prominent carmine flakes, fragrant, late flowering. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Albert Crousse.** Very large rosy-white, flecked crimson, tall erect habit, free bloomer. One of the best cut flower varieties. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Baroness Schroeder.** Very large globular flower opening blush-white changing to purest white as the flowers mature; one of the finest Peonies grown. \$1.25 each; \$12.00 per doz.

**Dorchester.** Very late, large and full double of an unusual delicate shade of hydrangea-pink. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Duchesse de Nemours.** An extra early cup-shaped, free-flowering fragrant sulphur-white. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Edulis Superba.** The famous Memorial Day Peony, it usually can be depended upon to be in flower at that time in this latitude, color a beautiful light clear pink with silvery reflex, large fragrant flowers. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Felix Crousse.** The ideal self-colored bright red Peony. \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

**Festiva Maxima.** The most popular of all the whites, a tall vigorous grower and free and early bloomer; color pure white flecked with crimson at center. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Livingstone.** Very full imbricated flowers of a large size of a pale lilac-rose with silvery sheen, very robust grower and free flowering. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Mme. Emile Galle.** Large cup-shaped double flowers of a delicate shell-pink with touches of heliotrope and lavender, an exquisitely beautiful variety. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Model of Perfection.** A most profuse bloomer, guard and collar petals light violet-rose with shades of flesh pink, marbled and veined with bright rose and silver tipped. \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

**Mons. Jules Elie.** Probably the largest flowered; color pale lilac rose with silvery reflex. \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

**Collection** of one strong root each of the above 12 sorts for \$8.00.

### SCILLAS (Squills)

**Sibirica.** One of the prettiest of early spring-blooming bulbs. of dwarf habit, with sprays of exquisite rich blue flowers. Grown in masses, in conjunction with *Crocus*, particularly the yellow variety, *Chionodoxas* and *Snowdrops*, the effect is charming. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

**Campanulata** (*Spanish Blue-bell*, or *Wood Hyacinth*). A beautiful spring-flowering bulb; spikes of bell-shaped flowers, fine for naturalizing in the woods, etc.; perfectly hardy and requires no further care when once planted. This is one of the few things that will thrive under pine trees. We offer them in separate colors and in mixture as under.

	Doz.	100	1000
<b>Blue</b> .....	\$0 65	\$4 50	\$40 00
<b>Rose</b> .....	70	5 00	45 00
<b>White</b> .....	65	4 50	40 00
<b>Mixed Colors</b> .....	60	4 00	35 00

### SNOWDROPS (*Galanthus*)

**Single.** The first of all flowers to herald the approach of spring. In conjunction with *Chionodoxas* and *Scilla Sibirica* a matchless effect can be produced. 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

### PREPARED BULB FIBRE

This material is very popular for growing bulbs in, and is especially adapted for use in the home, being clean and odorless, and as it is light in weight, can be sent to a distance at small expense.

It contains all the necessary plant food for almost all kinds of plants.

Price by Express at customers expense 50 cts. per  $\frac{1}{2}$  peck; 75 cts. per peck; \$2.50 per bushel. If wanted by Parcel Post add 20 cts. per peck.

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# Select List of Decorative Plants for House and Conservatory

## Aglaonema

**Costatum.** A dwarf-growing Aroid, suitable for the conservatory or window garden. Very compact heart-shaped leaves of dark, shining green, with white midrib and scattering blotches of white. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

## Allamanda

**Hendersoni.** A strong-growing variety, well suited for growing on the pillars or supports of a conservatory, or for training on a trellis; large, fragrant golden-yellow flowers. 50 cts. each.

**Williamsi.** Forms a compact bushy plant with trusses of large rich yellow flowers at every point; deliciously scented. 50 cts. each.

## Anthericum

**Mandaeum.** A splendid variety with narrow foliage, the leaves being green on the edges with creamy white centre.

**Vittatum Picturatum.** A most desirable plant for window boxes, vases, or for growing as a single specimen in pot; long, narrow green foliage with creamy white centre.

35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.

## Asparagus

**Plumosus Nanus** (*Asparagus Fern*). There is no better plant for table decoration than this. The foliage is more delicate than that of the finest Fern, being lace-like in its filminess. A plant with half a dozen stalks is a mass of dainty, misty green, among which the stems of a few flowers can be thrust in such a manner as to make a pretty decoration for the table. 25 cts. and 50 cts. each; \$2.50 and \$5.00 per doz.

**Sprengeri** (*Emerald Feather*). Excellent for hanging-baskets, for bracket use and for cutting. It is one of the best of all plants for the window-box when planted on the outside where it can droop over the edge of the box. 25 cts. and 50 cts. each; \$2.50 and \$5.00 per doz.

## Aspidistra

**Lurida.** One of the easiest decorative plants to grow. A most useful house plant, thriving in a hallway or a comparatively dark place in the room where nothing else will succeed. 6-inch pots, \$1.50 to \$2.00 each.

## Fibrous-Rooted Begonias

This class is among the freest flowering ornamental-leaved pot plants for conservatory decoration; excellent subjects for the window garden.

**Argentea Guttata.** Foliage of rich green, spotted with silver.

**Corallina Lucerna.** Gigantic trusses of bronzy-red flowers in bloom continuously from April to November.

**Haageana.** Large trusses of creamy-white flowers, suffused with pink, the foliage bold and attractive, of a bronzy-green above and reddish on the under side.

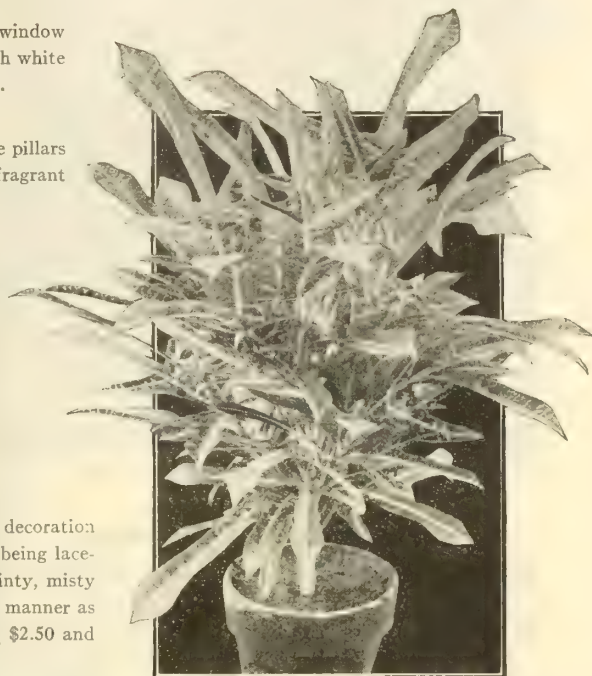
**Price.** 35 cts. each. One each of the 3 sorts for \$1.00.

## Bougainvillea

**Crimson Lake.** Introduced through the Bureau of Plant Industry of the Department of Agriculture.

The flowers are like all other Bougainvilleas, perhaps a trifle larger, but in coloring none compare with it in richness and brilliancy. On first opening a brilliant crimson-lake, retaining this color for three or four weeks, after which they gradually pass to a crimson-carmine.

In Southern California and Florida, the Bougainvilleas make gorgeous climbers for outdoor planting, while in the north they are useful subjects as pot plants for the conservatory or greenhouse. Strong 3-inch pots, 50 cts. each.



CROTON

## Clerodendron

**Balfourii.** A beautiful greenhouse climber, and admirably suited for house culture, flowering most profusely with bright scarlet flowers, enveloped in a creamy-white calyx. Strong plants, 25 cts. each. Extra large plants. 50 cts. each.

## Crotons

Nothing can excel the beauty and richness of coloring that is found in this class of plants. They are beautiful as pot plants for the conservatory, making handsome specimens for decorative and exhibition purposes. In the latitude of Philadelphia and southward they are wonderfully effective for summer bedding, presenting a glorious medley of rich variegated colors not found in any other class of plants.

We offer a choice assortment embracing the best standard varieties as well as the most desirable recent introductions.

Plants in 3-inch pots, \$1.00 each; collection of 12 varieties, \$10.00.

Plants in 4-inch pots, \$1.50 each; collection of 12 varieties, \$15.00.

Large plants, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$5.00 each.

## Cyperus (Umbrella Plant)

**Alternifolius.** An excellent plant for the house. Will thrive in any good soil, and always presents a green and attractive appearance. It may be grown as a sub-aquatic, and in any case should never lack a liberal supply of water. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

## Daphne

**Odora Marginata.** An old favorite greenhouse plant that is now but rarely seen, it has rich deep evergreen foliage with creamy white edge and produces terminal heads of most delightfully scented waxy white flowers tinted rose at the edges. Young plants in 3-inch pots, 75 cts. each.

## Dieffenbachia

**Brasiliensis.** A handsome decorative plant for the warm conservatory with large foliage of a dark green color, profusely spotted with blotches of white and pale green. \$1.00 each.

CRESTED HOLLY FERN (*Cyrtomium*)

### Decorative Dracaenas

**Bertha Andre.** Heavy broad bronze foliage. 3-inch pots, 50 cts. each; 4-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

**Fragrans.** An excellent house plant with broad dark-green foliage; grows under the most adverse conditions. 50 cts. and \$1.00 each.

**Godseffiana.** Entirely different from all other Dracaenas; of free-branching habit, forming compact, graceful specimens. Its foliage is of strong, leathery texture, rich, dark-green color densely marked with irregular spots of creamy-white. 3-inch pots, 35 cts. each; 4-inch pots, 75 cts. each.

**Harmony.** Broad green foliage with creamy white margin and pink edge. 3-inch pots, 50 cts. each; 4-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

**Juno.** Large massive broad foliage, green, marked and edged creamy white and rose. 3-inch pots, 50 cts. each.

**Massangeana.** A beautiful variegated form of *Fragrans* with broad, green foliage, with a broad, golden-yellow band through the centre of each leaf. 4-inch pots, 75 cts. each; 5-inch pots, \$2.00 each.

**Mrs. Eugene Andre.** One of the finest high colored varieties yet introduced with heavy bronzy foliage developing to an intense brilliant rosy crimson. 3-inch pots, 50 cts. each; 4-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

**Mrs. Rufus W. Scott.** Bronzy green foliage with pink and white markings. 3-inch pots, 50 cts. each.

**Sanderiana.** A distinct and pretty variety with glaucous green foliage, edged with a broad border of creamy white. 3-inch pots, 35 cts. each.

### Epiphyllum (Crab-Cactus)

**Truncatum.** An interesting Cactus that was formerly extensively grown as a house plant for the window garden and which is well worthy of being reinstated. It produces large showy tubular shaped flowers of a rosy-red color late in winter or in early spring remaining in flower for several weeks. Good plants in 4-inch pots. \$1.00 each.

### Eucharis (Amazon Lily)

**Amazonica.** A splendid plant for the warm conservatory, blooming at various seasons. It sends up stalks bearing several pure white, star-shaped flowers, 4 inches across, delightfully fragrant. For cultural notes see our book, "Dreer's Hints on the Growing of Bulbs." 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

## DREER'S FINE FERNS

We offer below but a few of the more important Decorative Ferns.

***Cyrtomium Rochfordianum Compactum* (Crested Holly Fern).** Next to the Boston Ferns, the Holly Fern is the most satisfactory for apartment use. Foliage of rich glossy dark green, the pinnae or leaflets, besides being wavy or undulated on the edges, are also deeply cut or toothed giving the plant a graceful and light appearance. 3-inch pots, 25 cts.; 4-inch pots, 50 cts. each.

***Nephrolepis Bostoniensis* (Boston Fern).** The original type with long graceful fronds. 4-inch pots, 50 cts.; 6-inch pots, \$1.50 each.

***Nephrolepis Elegantissima Compacta* (Crested Boston Fern).** A neatly crested form of the Boston Fern. 4-inch pots, 50 cts.; 6-inch pots, \$1.50 each.

***Polypodium Mandaianum* Seedlings.** Fronds wavy and undulated and of an attractive glaucous-blue color; very hardy house plants. 4-inch pots, 75 cts. each; 6-inch pots, \$2.00 each.

***Pteris Alexandriae*.** The crested fronds of this pretty variety are variegated with silvery-white. 2½-inch pots, 15 cts.; 4-inch pots, 50 cts. each.

***Pteris Rivertoniana*.** The most distinct and desirable of the taller crested forms of *Pteris*. 2½-inch pots, 15 cts.; 4-inch pots, 50 cts. each.

***Pteris Wilsoni*.** Of compact habit, forming a very symmetrical plant. The bright green foliage is beautifully crested. 2½-inch pots, 15 cts.; 4-inch pots, 50 cts. each.

***Pteris Tremula*.** One of the strongest growing of the *Pteris*; fronds of a cheerful bright green, grows about 3 feet high, succeeds splendidly as a house plant. 2½-inch pots, 15 cts. each. 4-inch pots, 50 cts. each.

***Sitalobium Cicutarium*.** A strong growing variety with long finely divided fronds, a good house plant and fine for bedding in a shady corner in the border. 2½-inch pots, 15 cts. each; 4-inch pots, 50 cts. each.

### Ferns for Fern Dishes

We can supply the most desirable varieties for this purpose. 2½-inch pots, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

### Ficus (Rubber Plant)

***Australis*.** A rapid-growing compact, free-branching variety, with small, leathery, dark-green leaves. Very attractive when grown in bush form. 4-inch pots, 75 cts. each. Larger plants, \$1.00 and \$2.00 each.

***Elastica*.** The well-known Rubber Plant. 4-inch pot, 10 inches high, 75 cts. each; 6-inch pot, 20 to 24 inches high, \$1.50 each.

***Radicans Variegata*.** A trailing variety with very small foliage which is prettily variegated green and white. 50 cts. each.

***Utilis*.** Entirely distinct and unlike the popular Rubber Plant, yet possessing the same hardness. The leaves are thick and leathery, of a rich holly-green, with midrib and principal veins of ivory-white. Strong plants, \$1.00 and \$2.00 each.

### Fittonia

Trailing plants, with handsome variegated foliage, most useful in the conservatory for planting on surface of pots or tubs containing specimen plants.

***Argyreneura*.** Vivid green with network of pure white veins. 25 cts. each.

***Verschaffelti*.** Bronzy-green, with pink variegation. 25 cts. each.



### Genista

**Fragrans.** A most desirable spring-flowering plant, producing its fragrant, bright, golden-yellow flowers in the greatest profusion. As a window-plant of easiest culture it is unsurpassed. Especially desirable for Easter decoration. Fine plants in 4-inch pots. Flowering size. 75 cts. each.

### Hibiscus Sinensis (Chinese Hibiscus)

Well-known evergreen tender shrubs which may be grown either in a pot or tub, or planted out during the summer. They flower freely during the entire summer, and even in the winter if kept in a light, sunny position in the house.

**Aurantiacus.** Fine double pure salmon.

**Grandiflorus.** Very large single rose.

**Miniatus Semi-plenus.** The finest and most brilliant semi-double, vermilion-scarlet, with flowers 4 inches in diameter.

**Peachblow.** Large double flowers, of a soft pink, with deeper centre.

30 cts. each; set of 4 sorts for \$1.00.

### Lagerstroemia Indica (Crape Myrtle)

This is one of the prettiest Shrubs and while hardy south of the Potomac requires protection in this latitude. Grown in large pots or tubs, specimens 6 to 8 feet high can be produced with little difficulty, and which for two or three months in summer will be covered with delicate soft pink flowers. We supply strong plants from 6 inch pots, \$1.00 each.

### Maranta

Beautiful variegated foliage plants, suitable for the warm conservatory.

**Alberti.** Deep green foliage, with light green mosaic-like markings.

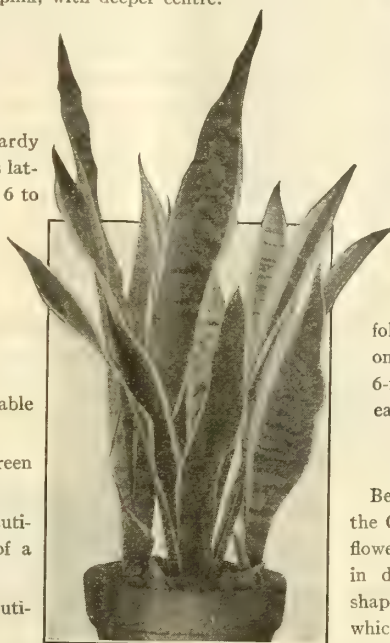
**Rosea Lineata.** Rich deep green leaves beautifully variegated with many narrow lines of a soft salmon-rose.

**Vandenheckei.** Rich dark green leaves beautifully variegated with silvery white.

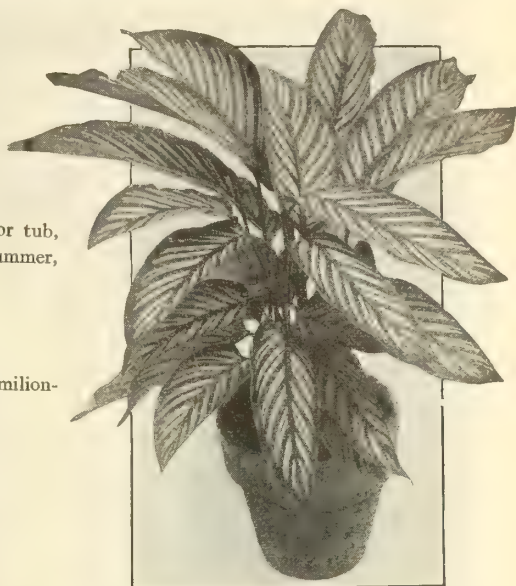
**Price.** Any of the above 75 cts. each.



PANDANUS VEITCHI



SANSEVIERIA ZEYLANICA  
LAURENTII



MARANTA

### Pandanus (Screw Pine)

**Veitchi.** One of the finest decorative plants for the house; graceful foliage, broadly striped with cream-white on a green ground. 4-inch pots, \$1.00 each; 6-inch pots, \$2.50 each; 7-inch pots, \$3.50 each; 8-inch tubs, \$6.00 each.

### Phyllocactus

Beautiful flowering plants closely allied to the Cacti, with thornless leaf-like stems. The flowers, which often measure eight inches in diameter, are long, somewhat trumpet-shaped, consisting of several rows of petals, which in color range from pure waxy white to deep crimson, and are freely produced on well-ripened stems in spring. They are of easy

culture, should be confined to small pots and sparingly watered. We offer a choice selection of 12 named varieties. 50 cts. each. Set of 12 for \$5.00.

### Plumbago

**Capensis.** Flowers at all seasons. A fine plant for pot culture or the border; producing spikes of pretty, light blue flowers. 25 cts. each.

**Capensis Alba.** Identical to the above, but with pure white flowers. 25 cts. each.

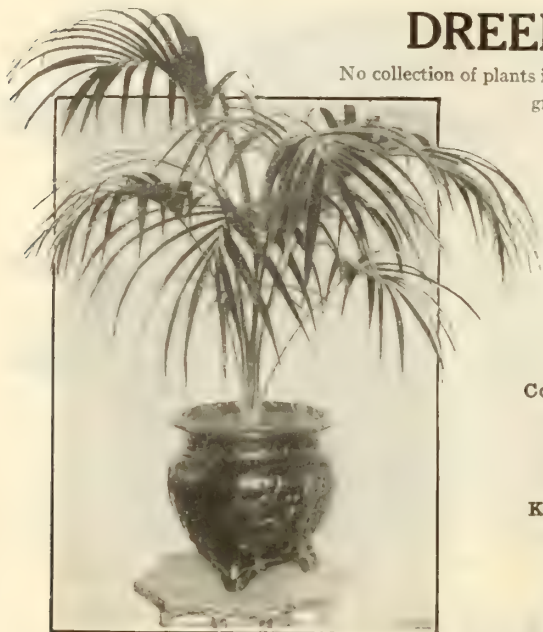
**Coccinea Superba.** Long spikes of showy satiny-carmine flowers; a fine pot plant for the window garden. 18 inches. 25 cts. each.

### Sansevieria

**Zeylanica Laurentii.** This variety, in addition to the variegation shown in the ordinary sort, has a band of creamy yellow varying from  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch or more in width on each edge of the leaves, which adds greatly to its decorative effect. A limited stock of good young plants, in 4 inch-pots, \$1.00 each. Large plants in 6-inch pots, \$3.00 each.

## DREER'S DECORATIVE PALMS

No collection of plants is complete without Palms. Their bold, majestic, yet graceful foliage lends a grandeur and magnificence that cannot be obtained by any other class of plants, and no decoration, whether in the conservatory, hall or sitting room, is complete without them.



KENTIA BELMOREANA

**Areca Lutescens.** One of the most graceful and beautiful Palms in cultivation; the foliage is of a bright, glossy green, with yellow stems.

3-inch pots, bushy plants, 12 to 15 inches high.....\$0 50 each  
4-inch pots, bushy plants, 15 to 18 inches high..... 75 each  
5-inch pots, bushy plants, 18 to 24 inches high..... 1 50 each  
6-inch pots, bushy plants, 24 to 30 inches high..... 2 50 each

**Cocos Weddelliana.** The most graceful and elegant of all Palms. Its slender, erect stem is freely furnished with its gracefully arching rich green leaves. The sizes offered are admirable for fern dishes. Young plants in 2½-inch pots, 35 cts. each; 3-inch pots, 12 inches high, 50 cts. each.

**Kentia Belmoreana.** The Kentias are the hardiest Palms in cultivation. They are of slow growth, and are less affected by the dust and dry atmosphere of the house than any others. The variety here offered is of dwarf, spreading habit, with fine rich, dark green foliage.

3-inch pots, 12 inches high.....\$0 50 each  
4-inch pots, 15 inches high..... 75 each  
5-inch pots, 18 inches high..... 2 00 each  
6-inch pots, 20 inches high..... 3 00 each

**Phoenix Roebeleni.** The most graceful of the Phoenix, and a Palm which has become one of the most popular for room decoration. The plant is of vigorous growth, and its gracefully, recurving leaves, with very narrow dark green pinnae give it a lightness and airiness not surpassed, if equalled, by Cocos Weddelliana; at the same time it is as hardy as a Kentia, succeeding admirably as a house plant.

3-inch pots, fine young plants.....\$0 50 each  
4-inch pots, fine young plants..... 1 00 each  
6-inch pots, specimen plants..... 2 50 each

**Kentia Forsteriana.** This splendid variety is very similar to K. Belmoreana, but of stronger growth, with broader, heavier foliage.

Inch pots	Inches high	Each	Inch pots	Inches high	Each
3	12	\$0 50	6	30	\$3 00
4	15	75	7	36	5 00
5	24	2 00	7	42	7 50

## AQUATIC PLANTS FOR AQUARIUMS

It is doubtful if anything is more fascinating to the young as well as to the older members of the household, than to watch the development of animal and plant life in the aquaria. Fish will not thrive unless enough plants are growing to furnish them with oxygen. To do this there should be not less than one plant to every two gallons of water. The ideal temperature is about 50 degrees, and a shady corner, or a window facing north, is best during the summer, and an east window during the winter. (Cultural Leaflet on request.)

**Anacharis Canadensis Gigantea** (*Giant Water Weed*). A beautiful submerged plant with dark-green ovate leaves and light stems. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Cabomba Viridifolia** (*Washington Grass*). A pretty and popular submerged plant. 25 cts. per bunch; \$2.50 per doz.

**Ludwigia Muleritti.** One of the prettiest of the submerged plants. The small ovate leaves are green above and pink on the under side. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Sagittaria Natans.** Long strap-like green leaves resemble the well-known *Vallisneria*. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Sagittaria Sinensis** (*Giant Sagittaria*). Leaves dark green; broader than *S. Natans*. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Vallisneria Spiralis Italian Type** (*Eel Grass*). A submerged plant with long ribbon-like leaves. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



A NICELY ARRANGED AQUARIUM



# CELERY PLANTS

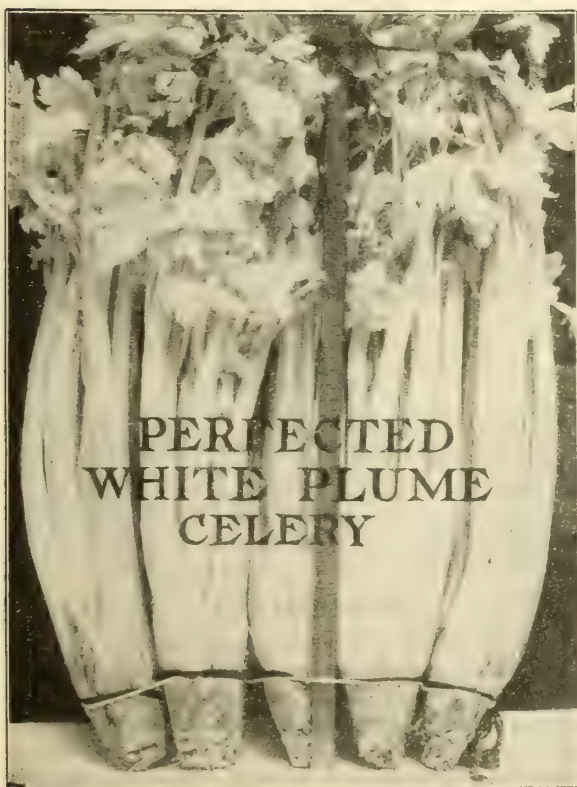
*Plants will be ready to send out July 1st. They can be planted in this latitude from then until the end of August.*

Celery requires a moist, rich soil, and will not thrive in poor soil and dry situations. After the plants have attained a height of five or six inches they should be set out in rows three feet apart, and six inches in the row. When twelve to fifteen inches high the soil should be loosened by the use of the plow or hoe, and the plants "handled." This operation consists of drawing the stems upright with one hand and pressing the soil firmly against the plant with the other; by this process the plants grow upright, and can be easily cultivated and blanched by drawing the soil close up to the plant. Celery should receive thorough cultivation if good results are desired. To store for winter use, select well drained ground, dig trenches one foot wide and deep enough to cover the tops of the plants. Pack the stalks in this in an upright position, covering with waterproof celery paper to shed the water; in severe weather protect with straw or leaves.

We grow in quantity the following splendid varieties:

**Perfected White Plume.** Ready for use ahead of all other varieties and unsurpassed for fall and early winter use. The leaves are bright green with white tips, and as the plants grow to maturity the inner stalks and leaves turn white, thus making very little earthing up necessary to thoroughly blanch it.

**Golden Self-blanching.** A splendid variety of early Celery, requiring but little labor to blanch. Plants grow to a medium size and make a stocky growth; heart is rich golden-yellow with light yellowish-green outer leaves. The quality is excellent, as the stalks are remarkably crisp and tender.



**Easy Blanching.** A new variety of Celery with remarkable easy-blanching characteristics and useful both for early use and for keeping during the winter months. The plants make a quick, healthy growth, and the stalks are thick, very tender and brittle, with a rich flavor.

**Giant Pascal.** Stalk very large, thick, solid, crisp and of rich, nutty flavor. It blanches very easily and quickly, and has superior keeping qualities.

**Winter King.** One of the best of the winter keeping Celeries. While the outer stalks are green, it naturally produces many golden hearts, which are very crisp, tender and of excellent flavor.

**All Celery plants 75 cts. per 100; \$6.00 per 1000.**

*If wanted by Parcel Post, add 20 cts. per 100.*

## CABBAGE PLANTS

**Dreer's Selected Late Flat Dutch.** Short stem, and large, solid and flat heads. Our stock has been carefully selected for several years, in order to get a Cabbage of this type, and we are confident no better strain is on the market. 50 cts. per 100; \$4.00 per 1000. If wanted by Parcel Post, add 15 cts. per 100.

## BRUSSELS SPROUTS PLANTS

**Dreer's Select Matchless.** A small-leaved variety of this noted vegetable, which, through careful selection, has been brought to perfection; grows freely during the summer, and is fully developed by the early frost, at which time the stems are thickly set with sprouts the full length. 75 cts. per 100; \$6.00 per 1000. If wanted by Parcel Post, add 15 cts. per 100.

**NOTE—We supply 250 or more of a kind at the 1000 rate**

# DREER'S POT-GROWN STRAWBERRY PLANTS

Pot-grown Plants set out this Summer will Produce a **FULL CROP OF FRUIT NEXT YEAR**

Our facilities for growing Strawberry Plants enable us to produce early in the season strong pot-grown plants of greatest vitality.

**Time of Shipment.** Our pot-grown Strawberry Plants are usually ready for shipment the latter part of July or early August, and can be supplied as late as October. It is better, however, to secure the plants in August or September, as earlier plantings develop larger and more vigorous plants and produce a greater crop of fruit next year.

We forward by express, at the purchaser's expense. The plants are packed compactly, and as light as possible. We make no charge for boxes or packing. If shipment by Parcel Post is desired, add 10 per cent. to price of plants to cover cost of special packing and postage.



**GANDY'S PRIZE**

## **BIG JOE**

(Mid-season, Perfect)

This variety is highly recommended by reliable growers, and our own experience with it justifies us in endorsing all that has been said in its favor. The plant is unusually vigorous, with a mass of large, healthy foliage; the fruit is large, of great substance, exquisite flavor and produced freely on strong stems held well above the ground. We do not know any variety that promises to give more general satisfaction. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

## **BRANDYWINE**

(Mid-season to Late, Perfect)

All growers are unanimous in their praise of this magnificent berry, and it is considered one of the *finest mid-season to late-fruiting sorts*. We do not know that it has a single defect, plants of extra strong constitution and growth doing well everywhere. The fruit is extra large, heart-shaped, color bright, rich red; and the flavor leaves nothing to be desired. A grand variety for preserving, retaining its flavor in a wonderful degree when canned. It always produces satisfactory crops, and whether grown for market or home consumption, will always be found in the front rank of high-grade berries. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

## **CHESAPEAKE**

(Late, Perfect)

A most reliable berry, which is giving perfect satisfaction in all parts of the country, both in the home garden as well as with market growers, many of the latter using it for their main crop. It is not a variety that sets an immense quantity of fruit, but every blossom makes a berry, every berry being well developed and strictly fancy, of good color without any green tips and of the highest quality. A berry that we can recommend for all soils and conditions. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

## **EARLY JERSEY GIANT**

(Early, Perfect)

This has been well called "The early Strawberry without a fault," it is one of Dr. Van Fleet's hybrids, the result of crossing some of the finest European varieties with the best American sorts, resulting in a variety which ripens with the earliest. Berries very large, brilliant, scarlet crimson, conical, with pointed tip, colors all over at once, has a delightful aroma and mild wild strawberry flavor. The plant is a strong grower and heavy yielder. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

## **GANDY'S PRIZE**

(Late, Perfect)

The standard late variety, which has held its own for many years, and by which every new late berry is judged. It is a strong healthy grower, but needs a rich soil for its perfect development. The berries are borne on long, strong stalks, well above the ground, a variety that is hard to beat. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

## **GLEN MARY**

(Mid-season to Late, Imperfectly Bi-sexual)

In the Middle and Northern States, where Glen Mary is at its best, probably no variety of Strawberry will produce more quarts per acre. The berries are large, firm enough to ship, of handsome appearance and good quality. Glen Mary is a strong grower and produces an abundance of foliage. The blossoms are about half perfect, but carry enough pollen for their own fruit. However, we believe the size and quantity of the berries can be increased by planting with it some strong pollenizer like Big Joe. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

## **LUPTON**

(Late, Perfect)

This berry has no equal for solidity, and because of its extraordinary substance is an ideal berry for preserving. Add to this the fact that it is very prolific, producing lavish quantities of large brilliant red, smooth-surfaced, glossy berries of high flavor, it will be found extremely desirable and valuable. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

## **MARSHALL**

(Early to Mid-season, Perfect)

This is one of the finest berries grown. It is so well and favorably known that it is almost useless to describe it. The plant is large and stocky; a vigorous grower and a good bearer. One of the earliest of the very large varieties, and it usually matures all its fruit. The berry is *very* large, of regular form, dark, glossy red, very beautiful and of fine quality. It is *the* great berry in New England, and no grower can afford to leave out the Marshall. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.



**NICK OHMER** (Mid-season to Late, Perfect)

Of mammoth size, beautiful color, and great productiveness. The plant is exceedingly vigorous, with clean, healthy foliage, without the slightest tendency to rust. A perfect giant among strawberries—roundish-conical in form, uniform and regular; rich, glossy crimson, firm and solid, excellent in quality, and average large to the very last picking. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**PREMIER** (Very Early, Perfect)

One of our most successful berry growers describes Premier as follows: "The money-making king of all extra-early varieties. I have never found anything to equal it. The berries are large, beautifully formed and bright red all the way through. It is delicious in flavor. I have fruited it five years and like it better every year, and if it has any weak points have not found them." \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**SENATOR DUNLAP**

(Mid-season, Perfect)

A good variety for the amateur, being adapted to any type of soil and does well in all sections. The fruit is bright red with a glossy finish shading to a deep scarlet on the underside. The flesh is bright red all through, and exceedingly juicy. Plants produce a heavy crop of fruit, and berries hold up well in size clear to the end of the season. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**SUCCESS** (Early, Perfect)

An improved form of the old famous Charles Downing, and as its name indicates, has been a success under most varied conditions, we consider it one of the most reliable early varieties for the home garden, as it can always be depended upon for a good crop of large berries of uniform shape of a bright flame color. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**WILLIAM BELT**

(Late, Perfect)

For vigorous growth, great productiveness, size, beauty and fine quality one of the very best. It is grown by the acre for fancy fruit. It is of regular form, of bright, glossy red, the ideal color for a strawberry. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100; \$60.00 per 1000.

**Dreer's "Home Garden" Collection of Strawberries**All Pot-Grown Plants which will Produce a **FULL CROP** of Berries next summer.

Notwithstanding the care we take in keeping our list down so as to include only varieties of sterling merit, the amateur finds difficulty in making a selection that will produce a bountiful supply of the finest fruit from the beginning to the end of the season. It is for such that we offer this collection, made up of **Senator Dunlap** and **Premier** for early, **William Belt** and **Big Joe** for mid-season, **Lupton** for late, and **Champion Everbearing** for an autumn bearing variety, all of them sorts which adapt themselves to the most varied conditions of soil and climate, and which, in our judgment, combine in the highest degree all the qualities which high-grade strawberries should have:

6 each of the "Home Garden" Berries, 36 in all, for.....\$3 00	25 each of the "Home Garden" Berries, 150 in all, for.....\$9 50
12 each of the "Home Garden" Berries, 72 in all, for.....5 00	50 each of the "Home Garden" Berries, 300 in all, for.....18 00

**Autumn-Fruiting or Everbearing Strawberries**

After careful trials we have selected the two varieties offered below as the most desirable. Under ordinary conditions they produce their main crop of fruit at the same time as other varieties and keep on bearing until frost. The proper plan is to cut off all buds as they appear until late in July, and thus conserve the strength of the plants for the fall crop. Treated in this way an abundant crop of berries may be looked for during September and October, or if the disbudding of parts of the plants is discontinued late in June an almost continuous crop of this luscious fruit may be secured throughout the growing season. Good cultivation is essential to bring about the best results, a liberal mulching during the summer is beneficial, and the plants should not be allowed to suffer for lack of water at any time

**CHAMPION EVERBEARING**

A most promising hardy variety from Michigan, of strong, vigorous habit and producing a very heavy yield of fine dark red, delicious berries from July until frost. \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**PROGRESSIVE**

The most prolific fruiting; berries of fair size and produced in great abundance; they are of attractive deep, glossy crimson color and of good flavor. \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

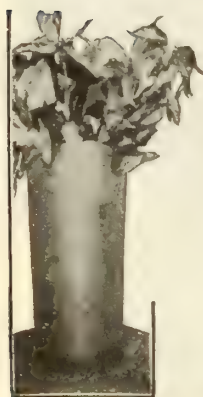
**Biggle's Berry Book.** Complete cultural directions for all small fruits including Strawberries are given in this valuable little book. 50 cts. postpaid.

# Tools, Implements and Supplies

FOR COMPLETE LIST OF GARDEN TOOLS, SEE OUR 1925 GARDEN BOOK



WIRE CARNATION SUPPORT



CELERY BLEACHER



WIRE FRUIT PICKER



FRUIT PICKER WITH BAG



GRASS EDGING KNIFE

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**Aprons.** To protect the clothing while doing any work in garden or greenhouse.

Rubber, heavy.....\$2 25  
Canvas, light.....1 25

**Bulb Fibre.** This material, especially prepared for use in the home, contains all the necessary plant food for almost all kinds of plants and bulbs. Per  $\frac{1}{2}$  peck, 50 cts.; peck, 75 cts.; bushel, \$2.50. By parcel post, add 20 cts. per peck.

**Bowls,** green matt ware, for bulbs or cut flowers, 6-inch diameter, 60 cts.; 8-inch, \$0 75  
Glazed ware, beautifully finished in blue, black, green, ivory, rose, or yellow, 8-inches in diameter, each.....1 75

**Carnation Supports.** This support is most popular and is quite satisfactory.

	Dozen	Hundred	Thousand
2 rings.....	\$1 00	\$6 50	\$57 50
3 rings.....	1 25	7 00	65 00

**Celery Bleacher.** The Ball Celery Bleaching Tubes are made of heavy waterproofed paper. With them very early celery can be had for the table since they may be placed any time the plants are large enough. Free circulation of air in the tubes keeps the plants in good condition, even in hot or wet weather. The clean celery thus obtained more than repays the cost, especially for private use.

	Dozen	Hundred	Thousand
6 x 12 inches.....	\$0 45	\$3 00	\$26 00
6 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 13 inches.....	50	3 50	32 50
7 x 14 inches.....	55	4 00	35 00

When putting on celery bleaching tubes the operation is made easier by using the Ball Celery Handler, price.....Tin, \$1.75; Brass, \$3.75

**Cultivators.** Norcross Garden Cultivator and Weeder.

5 prong, long handle.....	\$1 25
3 prong, long handle.....	1 00
3 prong, short handle.....	75

**Cultivator and Weeder, Planet Jr. Star Pulverizer,** very effective for working the flower garden, permits of cultivation where the plants are close, 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  inch....\$3 50

**Cultivators, Wheel Hoes and Seeders.** Send for the Planet Jr. catalog, listing their very complete line of both hand and horse tools.

**Dibbles,** for transplanting. Iron point, 75 cts.; brass point, \$1.00.

**Dock Extractors.** For pulling docks and other large weeds.

Heavy, 4 foot.....	\$4 75
Light extractors, 17 inches long, \$1.00; 25 inches long.....	1 25

**Fertilizers,** see page 64.

**Flower Holders.** When arranging flowers and foliage in bowls or other shallow containers our flower holder, permits of the most graceful effects. The stems can be placed at any angle at the same time allowing a free circulation of water. Made of metal that will not rust nor corrode and will not mar nor scratch the finest bowl. The design and weight will prevent tilting or upsetting. Green or Ivory finish.

No. 1, 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch diameter, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch mesh.....	\$1 75 Postpaid
No. 2, 4 " " " " " ".....	1 50 "
No. 3, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " " " " ".....	1 25 "
No. 4, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " " " " ".....	1 00 "

**Forks.** Hand weeding, 50 cts.; with 4 foot handle.....\$0 75

Hay, 2 tines, \$1.50; 3 tines.....	1 75
Manure, D handle, \$2.00; long handle.....	1 75
Spading, 4 tines, \$2.25; 5 tines, \$2.75; boys'.....	1 25

**Fruit Pickers.** Wire, without pole.....50

Metal, with bag, without pole.....65

**Garden Tool Sets,** for women and children, consisting of rake, hoe and shovel.. 2 00

**Gloves.** Heavy gloves to protect against briars, etc., wristband or gauntlets.

Horsehide, for men, \$2.50; for ladies.....2 00

**Grape Bags.** Wired, protect grapes against insects and birds.

Per 100, 60 cts.; per 1000.....5 00

**Grass Edgers.** To keep grounds neat and attractive, the grass bordering walks must be frequently edged. These machines will do the work with little effort.

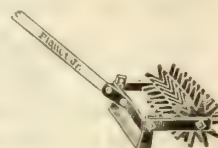
Planet Jr., single disc.....	\$2 00
McWharter, two discs.....	2 25

**Grass Edging Knives.** Without handles, English, 9-inch, \$2.50; with handle.. 2 75

American, 9-inch, straight handle, \$1.25; D handle.....1 50



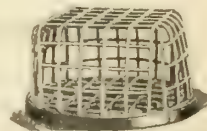
HAND WEEDING FORK



STAR PULVERIZER



PLANET JR. GRASS EDGER



FLOWER HOLDER



WIRED GRAPE BAG



**Grass Hooks or Sickles.** English, riveted back, No. 2, 90 cts.; No. 3, 95 cts.; No. 4.....\$1 00  
Solid back, 70 cts.; Little Giant, 70 cts.; Austrian, a very light, thin blade..... 45  
Dreer, a light narrow sickle..... 70

**Hose, Rubber.** Moulded, for garden and greenhouse.

"Riverton,"  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, per foot..... 21  
"Palisade,"  $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, per foot..... 17  
"Spring Garden,"  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, per foot..... 15  
"Chicago Electric," per foot..... 23  
No charge for couplings on lengths 25-feet or longer—shorter than 25 feet, 25c per set.

#### Hose Accessories.

Bands, wire,  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch and  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, dozen, 35 cts.; per 100.....\$3 00  
Clamps,  $\frac{3}{8}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, galvanized, each, 5 cts.; doz., 45 cts.; brass, each, 8 cts.; doz..... 75  
Couplings, Standard brass,  $\frac{3}{8}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, per set, 25 cts.; dozen..... 2 25  
Menders, Cooper, each, 10 cts.; dozen..... 1 00  
Perfection, each, 15 cts.; dozen..... 1 50  
Nozzles, Boston, coarse or fine, \$1.35; Boss, \$1.00; Adjustable Nozzle..... 75  
Nozzle Holder, wire..... 25  
Smooth Faucet Hose Connection. For small spigots, 50 cts.; for standard spigots..... 55  
Shutoff. For garden hose..... 1 10  
Siamese connection..... 1 25

#### Hose Reels.

Reeleezy. Put the coupling of the hose in the ring and roll along. Holds 75 feet,  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch hose.. 2 00  
Victor, 50 to 100 feet capacity..... 3 75  
Wirt's No. 10, 100 feet, \$6.00; No. 20, 150 feet, \$6.50; No. 30, 500 feet..... 9 00

**Hedge Trimmer. Little Wonder.** Excellent for cutting new growth of hedges. With this machine a competent operator will cut 250 to 300 feet of hedge, including top and two sides in one hour. With 30-inch cutting bar, \$19.75; 40-inch, \$25.00; 60-inch.....30 00  
Simplicity, Hedge Trimmer, for cutting new growth of hedges, many times faster than ordinary Hedge shears..... 4 00  
Simplicity, Hedge Trimmer and Pruner, cuts old as well as new growth very efficiently..... 6 00

**Insecticides,** see page 64.

#### Labels.

##### Wood, for pot and garden plants.

Size	100	1000	Size	100	1000
4 x inches.....	\$0 30	\$2 00	8 x $\frac{7}{8}$ inches.....	\$1 25	\$8 00
4 $\frac{1}{2}$ x ".....	35	2 50	10 x $\frac{7}{8}$ ".....	1 50	9 00
5 x ".....	40	2 75	10 x $\frac{3}{4}$ ".....	1 75	10 50
6 x ".....	50	3 25	12 x $1\frac{1}{8}$ ".....	2 25	13 50

3  $\frac{1}{2}$  x inches, copper wired, for trees, shrubs, etc.; per 100, 45 cts.; per 1000..... 3 00

**Simplex. Weatherproof.** Writing is protected by a transparent cover, and will last indefinitely if done with lead pencil. Copper wired.

	Doz.	100
No. 1, 3 x $\frac{1}{2}$ inches.....	\$0 45	\$2 50
No. 2, 4 x $\frac{3}{4}$ inches.....	75	4 50
No. 3, 5 x 1 inches.....	1 10	6 50
No. 10, card 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches, 24 inches high, as illustrated, each.....		25
No. 11, card 3 x 2 inches, 24 inches high, as illustrated, each.....		30

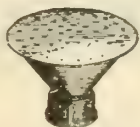
**Copper or Zinc,** wired for trees, shrubs, etc., marking is done with label ink or a stylus, the latter is furnished free with each hundred, per doz., 30 cts.  
Per hundred..... 1 75

**Label Ink.** Indelible, for zinc labels, per bottle..... 35

**Label Pencils.** Special black, each 10 cts.; dozen..... 1 00



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GARDEN  
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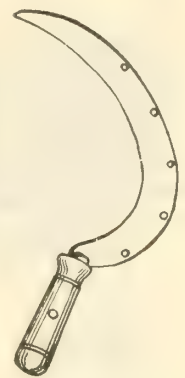
BOSTON NOZZLE



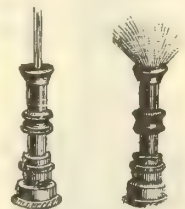
COOPER HOSE MENDER



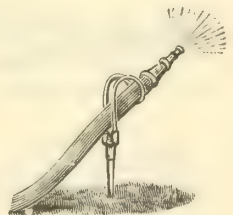
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HOSE MENDER



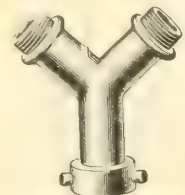
GRASS HOOK OR SICKLE  
Riveted Back



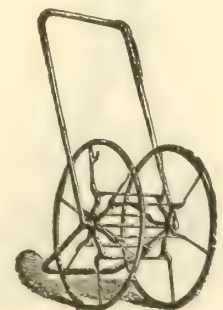
ADJUSTABLE NOZZLE



HOSE NOZZLE HOLDERS



SIAMESE CONNECTION



WIRT'S IRON HOSE REEL



KEYSTONE LEAF RACK ATTACHMENT

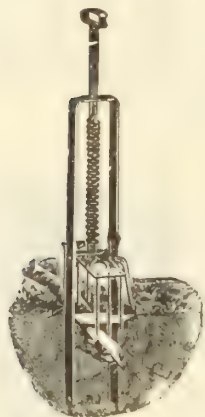
**Leaf Racks.** The Keystone Leaf Rack can be used on any wheelbarrow with removable sides. Made of galvanized wire bolted to a wooden base, with a capacity of 10 bushels, it is quite convenient for gathering leaves, cut grass and rubbish. Price, not including wheelbarrow.....\$8 00

**Mole Traps.** Traps are of great assistance in preventing the ravages of moles, the destroyers of beautiful lawns. Schroeter, \$2.25; Reddick..... 1 25

**Moss, Peat,** for mulching rose beds. Bales of about 150 pounds, sufficient to cover 50 or 60 square feet. Supplied in bale lots only, per bale..... 5 00

**Moss, Spagnum,** for growing and packing plants, bale..... 4 00

**Mowers,** see back cover.



MOLE TRAP

**Paper, Florist's Wax,** in sheets 24 x 36 inches, white, 24 sheets, 25 cts.; per ream, \$3.00; green, 24 sheets, 30 cts.; ream..... 3 25

**Paper, Waterproof Crepe.** 18 inches wide, rolls contain 8 lineal feet. Useful in decorating flower pots. Can be furnished in 6 colors: Moss Green, Nile Green, Yellow, Old Rose, Lavender or Blue, per roll..... 50

**Plant Stands, Wire,** of electrically welded construction, enameled green, 12 inches high, \$2.00; 20 inches, \$2.50; 30 inches high..... 3 00

Collapsible, with 2 shelves, each shelf 29 inches long, 7½ inches wide, \$5.00; 3 shelves..... 6 00

**Pot Brackets.** Iron for one pot, 45 cts.; two pots..... 60  
Steel, for 5-inch pots, 60 cts.; 6-inch pots, 70 cts.; 7-inch pots..... 80

**Pot Hangers.** An easily attached wire arrangement for hanging pots. For 5, 6, 7 and 8-inch pots, each, 6 cts.; doz..... 60

**Raffia.** This grass, being tough and pliable, is unsurpassed for tying dahlias, gladiolas, etc. Natural color, per lb., 25 cts.; dyed green, quite inconspicuous, per lb..... 1 00



GRAPE THINNING SCISSORS

**Rakes, Lawn.** Ames, wood with 3 steel bows..... 1 50

Automatic, self-cleaning, wood, 26 teeth, \$1.50; 38 teeth..... 2 00

Broom Rake, Bamboo, will sweep the lawn of even the finest particles..... 1 75

Broom Rake, Wire, made by the American Fork and Hoe Co..... 1 50

Garden, straight steel teeth, 10 teeth, \$1.00; 12 teeth, \$1.10; 14 teeth, \$1.20; 16 teeth..... 1 30

Garden, steel bow, steel teeth, 12 teeth, \$1.10; 14 teeth, \$1.20; 16 teeth..... 1 30

Gem Dandelion. Flat, blade-like teeth that clip off buds and blossoms of Dandelions. Has a self-cleaning attachment; one of the most efficient lawn rakes. 16-inch, \$2.75; 24-inch..... 3 50

Lawn King, wood, 22 teeth, 75 cts.; 26 teeth, \$1.00; 38 teeth, \$1.40; 50 teeth..... 2 00

Ole Olsen, 26 teeth, wood, lawn rake..... 1 25

Wire lawn or grass rake, curved teeth, heavily galvanized, 24 teeth, \$1.00; 36 teeth..... 1 25

**Rollers, Water Ballast.** This is a very easy running roller. The special feature of this roller is that it can be adjusted to any weight with water. Edges rounded so as to not tear sod.

No.	Diameter	Width	Empty	Filled	Price
1424	14-inch	23-inch	60 lbs.	250 lbs.	\$17 00
1824	18-inch	23-inch	75 lbs.	330 lbs.	20 00
2424	23-inch	23-inch	100 lbs.	440 lbs.	23 00
2432	24-inch	32-inch	115 lbs.	590 lbs.	26 00

**Scissors.** Flower Gathering, hold flower when cut..... 1 75

Flower Gathering, imported, fitted with a spring attachment which holds the flower when cut... 2 25

Grape Thinning..... 1 25

Pocket Scissors, 5 inches long, blunt points..... 1 25

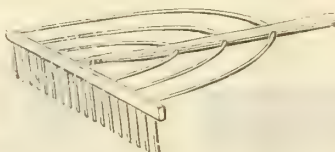
**Scythes.** English, riveted back, 30 and 32 inch, \$3.00; 34-inch, \$3.25; 36-inch, \$3.25; 38-inch... 3 50  
American, \$2.25; heavy bush, short blade..... 2 50

**Scythe Snath or Handle**..... 1 75

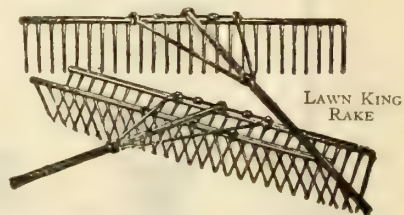
**Scythe Stones.** English Talacre, 35 cts.; Darby Creek..... 25



WATER BALLAST ROLLER



AMES RAKE



LAWN KING RAKE

AUTOMATIC SELF-CLEANING RAKE



**Shears.** Border, for edging walks, beds, etc. These shears eliminate necessity of stooping.

	With Wheel	Without Wheel
9-inch American.....	\$4 00	\$3 50
10-inch American.....	4 50	4 00
9-inch Imported.....	6 00	5 50
10-inch Imported.....	6 50	5 75

**Grape Picking.**

Straight blades, 75 cts.; curved blades..... 1 25

**Grass or Sheep Shears.**

American, 5½-inch, \$1.10; 7-inch..... 1 25

Imported, 5½-inch, \$1.75; 7-inch..... 2 25

**Shears, hand pruning.**

Dreer Special, 9-inch, \$2.00; per dozen..... 20 00

First quality, 6-inch, rose or ladies' shear, \$1.50; 8-inch, \$2.50; 9-inch..... 2 75

Second quality, 8-inch, \$1.25; 9-inch..... 1 50

French, wheel spring, 7-inch, \$2.25; 8-inch, \$2.50; 8½-inch, \$2.75; 10-inch..... 3 50

French, hand forged, hand made, an exceptional shear for careful pruning, 8-inch, \$4.00;

8½-inch..... 4 50

Perfection, French made, illustrated, 9-inch..... 3 50

Wiss, 9-inch, heavy. This shear is particularly recommended for heavy work..... 3 50

**Hedge Shears.**

American, notched, 5½-inch, ladies, \$1.50; 8-inch, \$2.25; 9-inch, \$2.50; 10-inch, \$3.00;

12-inch..... 3 50

Imported, 5½-inch, \$2.50; 8-inch, \$3.00; 9-inch, \$3.25; 10-inch, \$3.50; 12-inch..... 5 00

Yeakle hedge shears, fitted with a spring tension which keep the blades in position even on the heaviest work, the finest hedge shear obtainable, per pair..... 6 50

Simplicity Hedge Pruner and Hedge Trimmer, cuts both upon opening and closing of the blades. Trimmer, \$4.00; Trimmer and Pruner..... 6 00

**Lawn Shears, of great help in trimming under shrubbery and fences, with two wheels.**

American..... 4 00

Imported..... 6 75

**Shovels.** Round or square point, D or long handled, each..... 2 50

**Sieves.** 18-inch, \$1.50; 20-inch..... 1 75

12-inch, 8 meshes to the inch..... 1 10

**Spades.** D handled, \$2.50; ladies, \$1.50; special long strap nursery spade..... 3 25

Luther Burbank Spade, blade is extra long and has a rounded, instead of square point..... 2 50

**Sprayers, see page 62.**

**Sprinklers for the lawn, see page 63.**

**Spuds.** For cutting roots, weeds, etc. D handle, \$1.75; straight handle..... 1 25

**Stakes.**

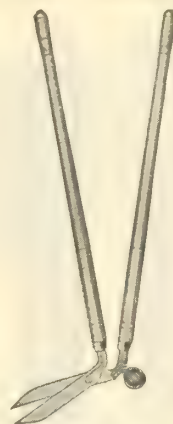
Bamboo-dyed Green, very fine for staking delphinium, hardy chrysanthemums, gladiolus, etc.

Length	Doz.	100	1000
36 inches.....	\$0 30	\$1 25	\$8 00
42 ".....	35	1 50	9 50
48 ".....	40	1 75	11 00

Bamboo, heavy, for dahlias and roses.

Three-quarter inch diameter, four foot long.....\$0 10 \$0 75 \$6 00

Five-eighths to three-quarter inch diameter, six foot long..... 12 85 6 75



BORDER SHEAR



GRASS SHEAR



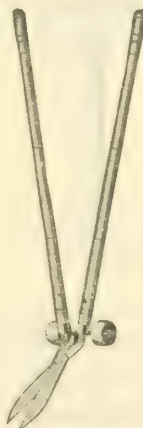
DREER'S SPECIAL PRUNING SHEARS



FRENCH PRUNING SHEAR



PERFECTION PRUNING SHEARS



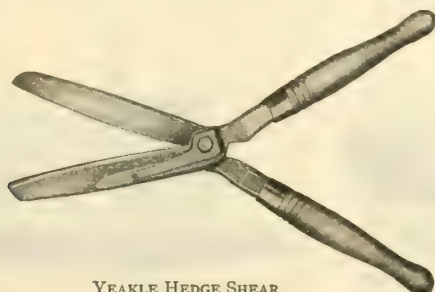
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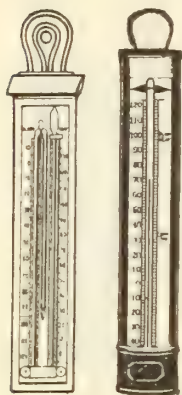
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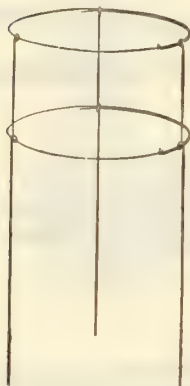
STEEL SPUD



YEAKLE HEDGE SHEAR



SELF-REGISTERING THERMOMETERS  
COPPER CASE THERMOMETERS



ADJUSTABLE RING PLANT SUPPORT



HANNER PLANT SUPPORT



MODEL PEONY OR TOMATO TRELLIS

**Stakes.** Light, tapering, round, painted green:

	Each	Doz.	100
1½ ft.....	\$0 04	\$0 30	\$2 00
2 ".....	06	50	3 50
2½ ".....	07	70	5 25
3 ".....	10	90	6 75

	Each	Doz.	100
3½ ft.....	\$0 11	\$1 10	\$8 50
4 ".....	13	1 35	10 00
5 ".....	16	1 75	12 50

**Heavy Rose or Dahlia.** Round, painted green:

	Each	Doz.	100
3 ft.....	\$0 13	\$1 35	\$10 50
4 ".....	17	1 80	14 00

	Each	Doz.	100
5 ft.....	\$0 22	\$2 30	\$17 75
6 ".....	26	2 85	21 50

**Square.** Painted green. A good, strong stake:

	Each	Doz.	100
1½ ft.....	\$0 04	\$0 30	\$1 90
2 ".....	05	45	3 00
2½ ".....	06	65	4 25
3 ".....	09	85	6 50

	Each	Doz.	100
3½ ft.....	\$0 10	\$1 05	\$8 00
4 ".....	13	1 35	9 50
5 ".....	18	1 80	13 50
6 ".....	20	2 00	16 00

**Plain Unpainted Dowels:**

Length	Diameter	Doz.	100	1000
42 inches.....	¼-inch.....	\$0 30	\$1 50	\$12 50
42 ".....	½ ".....	35	2 00	13 50
42 ".....	¾ ".....	40	3 00	20 00
36 ".....	¾ ".....	35	2 00	16 00

Dyed Green. Add 25 cts. per 100; \$2 00 per 1000.

**Western Cane Stakes.** These must not be confused with the Southern stock. While not quite as large they are much firmer and will outlast the Southern Cane many times over.

	100	500	1000
6 to 8 ft.....	\$2 50	\$11 00	\$20 00

**Wire Stakes,** of Galvanized Hard Drawn Steel. No. 10 gauge, generally used for staking greenhouse plants.

	Doz.	100	1000
2 ft.....	\$0 15	\$0 95	\$7 50
2½ ".....	18	1 15	9 00
3 ".....	25	1 35	11 00
3½ ".....	30	1 60	13 00

	Doz.	100	1000
4 ft.....	\$0 35	\$1 70	\$14 50
4½ ".....	40	1 90	16 00
5 ".....	45	2 00	18 00
6 ".....	55	2 25	20 00

**Stake Fasteners.** For fastening cross wires to galvanized stakes.

Per 1000, \$3.00; per 10,000..... 25 00

**Thermometers.** While we use great care in packing, thermometers are shipped at purchaser's risk.

Tin case, Japanned, 8 in., \$2.00; 10 in.....	\$2 25
Copper case, 10 in.....	2 50
Self registering, Japanned case, \$5.50; copper case.....	6 00
Hotbed or Mushroom, iron point, \$2.50; brass point.....	3 00
Churn or Dairy, glass.....	1 00

**Trellises.** Adjustable Ring Plant Support, rings may be adjusted to accommodate any plant having a diameter up to 20 inches, upright supports 34 inches in length. Made in such a manner as to allow plant to sway in a storm, thereby preventing its breaking off over the top of the support or pulling support out of the ground, each, 35 cts.; dozen.....\$3 50

Carnation Supports, see page 56.

Model peony or tomato trellis, of heavy galvanized wire, height adjustable to a maximum of 35 inches, each ring measures 14 inches in diameter, each, 35 cts.; dozen..... 3 50

Hanner, adjustable, support is of steel 4 feet in length, rings 11 and 13 inches in diameter, heavily galvanized, each, 40 cts.; doz., \$4.00; 100..... 30 00

Tomato support, made of elm wood, 2 rings, 19 inches in diameter, 27 inches high, each 30 cts.; doz. 3 00

Wire Fan, for small vines, 12-inch, 45 cts.; 15-inch, 50 cts.; 18-inch, 60 cts.; 24-inch..... 75

Wire Veranda or porch trellis, excellent for training vines of all kinds, thoroughly made and heavily galvanized.

13 inches wide, full rolls, 75 feet in length, 14 cts. per ft.; cut lengths, 16 cts. per foot.

19 inches wide, full rolls, 75 feet in length, 17 cts. per ft.; cut lengths, 19 cts. per foot.

Large Trellises and Arches. Made of iron wire, heavily galvanized, mesh is four inches, diamond shape, made to your dimensions, rectangular or arch form 50 cts. per square foot.

**Trowels.** American, 6-inch.....\$0 25

Dreer trowel. The trowel most liked by professionals. The blade is flat and unusually strong. 80

English pattern, 6-inch, 75 cts.; 7-inch..... 80

Steel shank, extra heavy..... 80

Transplanting, hoe shaped..... 75

Transplanting, narrow steel blade..... 35



HOE TROWEL



STEEL SHANK TROWEL



ENGLISH PATTERN STEEL TROWEL



DREER TROWEL



**Trucks.** Combination truck, water barrel and leaf rack, complete with 2½-inch tires. \$38 00

A very convenient combination, as the units are detachable and easily adjusted.

Barrels with trunnions attached can be picked up by merely raising and lowering the truck handles. Weight is evenly balanced on axles.

Truck, frame and wheels only.....	15 50
Barrel, \$8.50; Box, \$6.25; Leaf Rack.....	8 00
Trunnions, per pair.....	1 00

**Dreer's "Riverton" Tubs.** This tub is by far the neatest, cheapest, lightest and best Tub ever offered. Made of cedar, painted green, with electrically welded hoops. Just the tub for large specimen plants of any kind. The four largest sizes are supplied with drop handles.

	Outside Diam. in.	Inside Diam. in.	Length of Stave in.	
No. 70	8¾	8	10	\$0 65
No. 60	10¾	10	11	80
No. 50	12¾	12	13	1 15
No. 40	15	14	15	1 70
No. 30	17	16	17	2 10
No. 20	19½	18	19	2 95
No. 10	21½	20	20	4 00

**Twine.** Cotton, green. Per ball, 10 cts.; per lb. 90  
Cotton, white, 2, 3 and 5-ply. Per ball, 15 cts.; per lb. 90  
Jute, 2, 3 and 5-ply. Per ball, 20 cts.; per lb. 40  
Silkline, a strong green thread for tying plants; fine, medium and coarse, per spool, 35 cts.; per lb. of 8 spools. 2 50

#### Watering Cans

	Light Round	Heavy Round	Heavy Oval
4 qt.....	\$0 90	\$4 25	
6 qt.....	1 00	4 50	\$5 50
8 qt.....	1 10	5 00	5 75
10 qt.....	1 30	5 50	6 25
12 qt.....	1 50	6 00	6 75
16 qt.....	2 00	6 50	7 75

Above cans are galvanized, heavy cans, being of very fine quality. Light cans have one rose; heavy cans two. Extra

roses, for heavy cans only. 75

Low, for greenhouse, galvanized, 4 qts. 3 50

Window watering, long spout, green, 2 qts. 3 00

**Weed Gun.** For applying Weed Killer. 1 50

**Weeders.** Eureka, 50 cts.; with 2-foot handle, 65 cts.; 4-ft.

handle, 75 cts.; Excelsior, 15 cts.; Hazeltine, 60 cts.; Lang's,

25 cts.; Magic. 35

Dandelion, Cleveland, Lawn Weeder. 1 50

Out-u-come, dandelion weeder. 1 00

**Wheelbarrows.** No. 3, Garden, 2½-inch tire. 8 50

No. 2. Garden, 2½-inch tire. 9 00

Greenhouse, narrow. 11 00

Boys'. 7 00

**Vases, Florists,** for cut flowers, made of metal, heavily galvanized, seams well soldered.

	Diameter	Depth	Each	Dozen		Diameter	Depth	Each	Dozen
No. 58.....	5½ inches	6 inches	\$0 40	\$4 00	No. 253.....	4½ inches	9½ inches	\$0 60	\$6 00
No. 59.....	6 "	7 "	60	6 00	No. 254.....	5½ "	11 "	70	7 00
No. 65.....	7½ "	8 "	70	7 20	No. 255.....	6½ "	12 "	80	8 00
No. 66.....	8½ "	10 "	80	8 00	No. 256.....	6½ "	13½ "	90	9 00
No. 67.....	8½ "	11 "	95	9 50	No. 257.....	6½ "	14¾ "	1 00	10 00
No. 68.....	8¾ "	12 "	1 10	11 00					
No. 69.....	8¾ "	18 "	1 30	13 00					



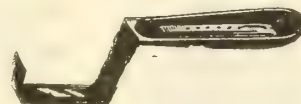
RIVERTON TUB



EXCELSIOR WEEDER



MAGIC WEEDER



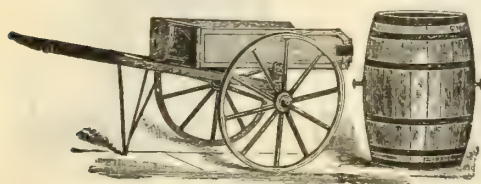
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EUREKA WEEDER



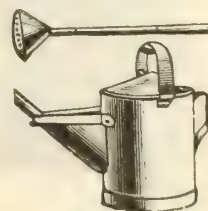
CLEVELAND  
DANDELION WEEDER



TRUCK



TRUCK AND LEAF RACK



ROUND GALVANIZED  
WATERING CAN

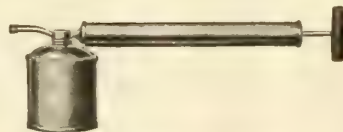
# SPRAYERS AND ACCESSORIES



AUTO SPRAY

DEMING'S "CENTURY"  
BARREL SPRAY PUMP

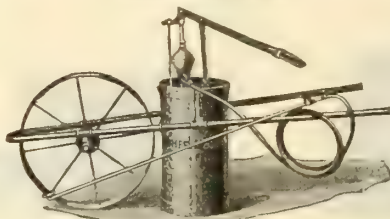
PERFECT SUCCESS BUCKET PUMP

VERMOREL ECLAIR NO. 1 FRENCH  
KNAPSACK SPRAYER

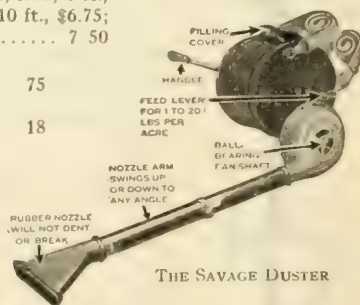
COMPRESSED AIR SPRAYER



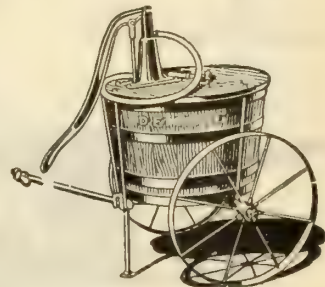
GREENHOUSE SYRINGE



WHEELBARRROW SPRAYER



THE SAVAGE DUSTER



GARDENER'S CHOICE SPRAY OUTFIT

**Auto Spray No. 1.** A four gallon compressed air sprayer, simple and easy to carry. No tools required to take it apart. With stop cock nozzle, galvanized, \$6.00; brass, \$9.00; with automatic pop nozzle, galvanized, \$6.50; brass, \$9.50  
 Brass strainer for filling tank..... 1 50  
 No. 12. 1½ gallon, compressed air sprayer. Galvanized, \$5.00; brass, 7 50

**Auto Spray Whitewashing Machine.** A general purpose sprayer; fitted with 8 feet of hose and 2 feet extension pipe; 8 gallon tank. Galvanized, \$16.00; brass, 20 00

**Barrel Spray Pump.** Deming's "Century," a powerful pump, \$19.00; with 12½-ft. section of ½-inch hose and nozzle, \$23.00; complete with barrel, 32 00  
 Deming's "Major," \$14.00; with 12½-ft. section of ½-inch hose and nozzle, \$18.00; complete with barrel, 27 00

**Bucket Spray Pumps.** Deming's "Perfect Success," with hose and nozzle, 9 00  
 Deming's "Prize," with nozzle and 3 feet of hose, 6 00

**"Gardener's Choice" Spray Outfit, Deming's.** A tank on wheels, holds 25 gallons, fitted with a powerful pump; complete with 6 feet hose and nozzle, 47 50

**Hand Sprayers.**  
 Atomizers, tin, 1 pt., 40 cts.; 1 qt., 50 cts.; brass, 1 qt., 75  
 Atomizers, Jim Dandy, 4 qt., 3 25  
 Compressed Air, 1 qt., tin, \$1.25; brass, \$1.50; Robertson, 2 00

**Greenhouse Syringe.** Brass.  
 No. 101, 1 x 12 inches, rose and jet, \$4 00  
 No. 102, 1½ x 16 inches, rose and jet, 5 50  
 No. 103, 1½ x 16 inches, rose and jet, 6 50  
 No. 110, 1½ x 18 inches, fine and coarse, rose and jet, 10 00

**Knapsack Sprayer.** Vermorel Eclair, a French machine, as illustrated, 22 50  
 The Deming "Made in America," knapsack, brass tank, 25 00

**Powder Distributors.**  
 Tin Dusters, for sifting powder on plants, 75  
 Hand Powder Gun, 35  
 The Feeney, the best small duster, Model B, capacity about 1 pint, \$1.25; Model A, reservoir holds about one quart, fitted with long spout, permitting dusting close to the ground without stooping, 3 50  
 Bellows. Woodason's, double cone, 6 50  
 Single cone, small, \$3 00, large single cone, 4 50  
 Sulphur, 3 75

The Savage Duster, a free running, easy cranking machine. Discharge can be controlled to a given number of pounds per acre. Capacity, 7 to 10 pounds, 20 00

**Rubber Sprinkler.** 10 oz., straight or angular neck, 1 25  
 6 oz., straight or angular neck, 85 cts.; 8 oz., straight or angular neck, 1 00

**Wheelbarrow Sprayer.** Deming. The machine for those who occasionally have to spray trees, chicken houses, etc., and to whom it is essential that the spraying outfit be transportable. This Deming Sprayer is equipped with a 12 gallon tank, 10 feet of hose, 4 feet extension and nozzle, 33 00

**Paragon.** No. 3. Equipped with a 12 gal. tank mounted on a truck, three 2½ ft. extension pipes, 2 nozzles and 10 ft. of hose, 25 00

**Extension Rods.** 2 ft. galvanized, 50 cts.; brass, 60 cts.; iron, 4 ft., 60 cts.; bamboo, brass lined, 8 ft., with stopcock, \$6.00; 10 ft., \$6.75; 12 ft., 7 50

**Nozzles.** Auto pop, \$1.50; Bordeaux, \$1.35; Vermorel, \$1.00; Simplex, straight, 65 cts.; angle, 75

**Spray Hose,** for knapsack sprayers. ¾-inch, per foot, 15 cts.; ½-inch, 18



# LAWN SPRINKLERS

## CYCLONE

One of the most popular sprinklers. 12-inch high.....\$2 50

## DOUBLE ROTARY

One of the better known sprinklers, so much in evidence on the putting greens of golf courses, covers a radius of 15 to 40 feet.....12 50

## LAWN TWIN

Strong, simple, and will not clog or get out of order. Throws a double spray in perfect circle.... 25

## MISTO "TWO IN ONE"

A Skinner product made with two interchangeable heads, one that revolves and is used for general lawn watering, the other a stationary fine mist for borders, etc.....1 50

## PENNSYLVANIA RAINMAKER

With a pressure of 40 to 60 pounds, it will distribute water evenly over a circular area 60 to 75 feet in diameter. A small nozzle is supplied for low pressure. It can be easily regulated to throw heavy or fine spray.....25 00

## RAIN KING

The Rain King is different from any other sprinkler. Revolving or stationary spray—coarse or fine, fast or slow. Sturdy and simple in design. Covers an area 8 to 80 feet in diameter.....3 50

## RAINBOW

An excellent small sprinkler. It is strongly made and designed to give the least possible friction. With sled base, \$3.00; on spur stand.....2 75  
Rainbow Midget, sled base, \$2.50; Rainbow, stick fountain.....1 50

## RING

Made of heavy brass; gives a finely divided, well distributed mist .....1 00

## SAUCER SPRAY

Made by the Skinner Irrigation Co., waters a full or half circle, thirty to forty feet in diameter, evenly and gently .....75

## SKINNER SECTIONAL

Sectional, pipe sprinklers without any moving parts. Each section covers a large space and from two to four sections can be connected to work from the same hose. Write for booklet.  
Peacock, 12½-ft. length. Each section will cover 900 square feet.....15 00  
Lawn Mist, 15-ft. lengths. Throws the finest spray that can be used out doors.....12 50  
No. 11, Peacock Jr., \$9.00; No. 8, Lawn Mist Jr.....8 50

## ROTARY

Another Skinner product having twin revolving nozzles, so constructed as to permit of adjustable streams, covers an area 80 feet in diameter without flooding. Perfect for putting greens.....15 00

## TWINSPRAY

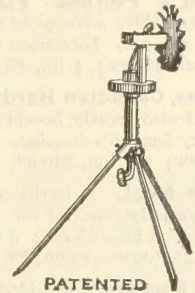
A revolving sprinkler constructed of heavy wrought brass and enameled iron pipe. No mechanism to get out of order. Throws 14 jets of water, forming a mist that settles upon the lawn like dew.....10 00

## UNIVERSAL

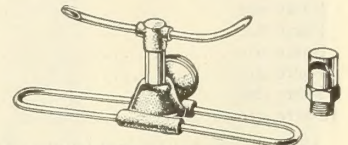
The combination of vertical spray coming from the perforated head with streams thrown by the arms, produces an even distribution of water. Height, 10 inches.....3 00

## WATERFAN

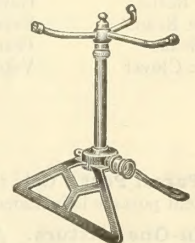
The distributing pipe oscillates so that the water streams are thrown from a 45 degree position on one side over the machine, to a 45 degree position on the other side, thus watering with a fine spray on both sides of the machine.  
No. 6 covers an area 14 x 50 feet.....15 00  
No. 8, covers an area 24 x 50 feet.....18 00



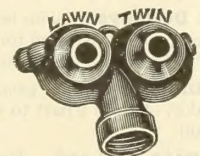
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DOUBLE ROTARY SPRINKLER



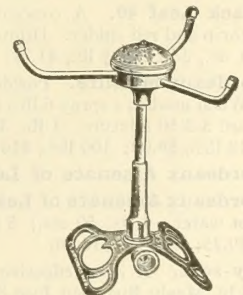
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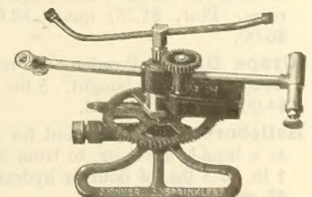
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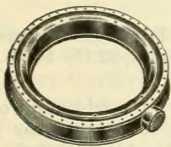
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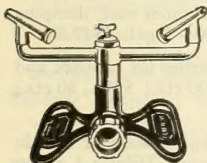
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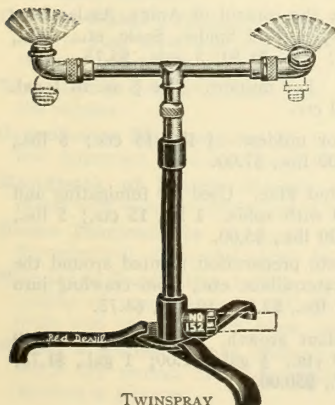
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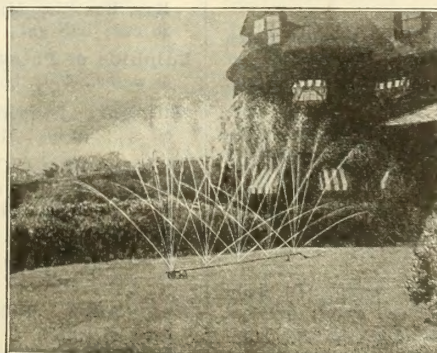
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# Fertilizers for Lawn and Garden

**Dreer's "Peerless" Plant Food.** The best plant fertilizer obtainable; a complete plant food. May be used either dry or as a liquid. Directions with each package.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 15 cts.; by mail, 25 cts.; 1 lb., 25 cts.; by mail, 40 cts.

**Ashes, Canadian Hardwood.** Very good in supplying potash and also greatly benefits mechanical condition of the soil. A very fine lawn dressing. 25 lbs., \$1.25; 50 lbs., \$2.00; 100 lbs., \$3.00; per ton, \$40.00.

**Bone Meal.** A fertilizer for all purposes, safe and effective. Especially good for use on lawns. Apply 800 to 1000 lbs. per acre. 3 lbs., 25 cts.; 5 lbs., 40 cts.; 10 lbs., 65 cts.; 25 lbs., \$1.25; 100 lbs., \$4.00; 200 lbs., \$7.50; 500 lbs., \$18.00; ton, \$65.00.

**Cow Manure.** Shredded and dried and therefore considerably more concentrated than as it come from the stable. 100 lbs., \$3.50; 500 lbs., \$16.50; 1000 lbs., \$30.00; ton, \$55.00.

**Cultures for Legumes.** Mulford and Farmogerm.

	Mulford	Farmogerm
$\frac{1}{4}$ -acre size.....	\$0 35	
$\frac{1}{2}$ -acre size.....	75	\$0 50
1-acre size.....	1 50	1 00
3-acre size.....		2 50
5-acre size.....	5 00	
12-acre size.....		9 00

Cultures can be obtained for the following crops:

Alfalfa	Canada Field Peas	Burr Clover
Garden Beans	Cow Peas	Crimson Clover
Lima Beans	Garden Peas	Red Clover
Velvet Beans	Sweet Peas	Sweet Clover
Soy Beans	Peanuts	White Clover
Alsike Clover	Vetch	Lupines

**Humus.** A highly fertile earth. Excellent to incorporate with poor soil. Apply 5 to 10 tons per acre. 100 lbs., \$1.75; 500 lbs., \$8.25; 1000 lbs., \$15.00; ton, \$25.00.

**Nitrate of Soda (Not Mailable).** Supplies nitrogen to soil; very active. Should be applied with a filler or as a liquid. Use 200 to 500 lbs. per acre. 5 lbs., 50 cts.; 25 lbs., \$1.50; 100 lbs., \$5.00.

**Poultry Manure.** Pulverized, rich in plant food elements. 5 lbs., 35 cts.; 10 lbs., 65 cts.; 25 lbs., \$1.25; 50 lbs., \$2.00; 100 lbs., \$3.50.

**Sheep Manure, Pulverized.** One of the most generally used of animal manures. Unequalled for general use in growing flowers. Apply 1000 lbs. per acre. 2 lbs., 20 cts.; 5 lbs., 35 cts.; 10 lbs., 65 cts.; 25 lbs., \$1.25; 50 lbs., \$2.00; 100 lbs., \$3.50; 500 lbs., \$16.50; 1000 lbs., \$30.00; ton, \$55.00.

**Stim-U-Plant.** A fertilizer in tablet form. The tablets contain the essential plant foods in highly concentrated form and are therefore, very convenient for house use. Package of 30 tablets, 25 cts.; 100 tablets, 75 cts.; 1000 tablets, \$3.50.

**Tobacco Stems.** A fertilizer and an insecticide. Tobacco stems contain high percentages of the three essential plant foods and in addition the nicotine which they supply to the soil is of value in killing the larva of many insects that hatch out in the ground. We are now able to supply stems finely ground; in this condition they are convenient to handle and better to use. Ground stems, 50 lbs., \$1.75; 100 lbs., \$3.00; ton, \$40.00. Stems in bale of about 100 lbs., \$3.00.

## Insecticides and Fungicides

**Parcel Post.** Only those insecticides marked \* can be shipped through the mails. Articles so marked will be shipped provided sufficient postage is included with your order. Those not marked will be forwarded express collect.

**All-In-One Mixture.** A dry combination of 14% Nicotine, 9% Arsenate of Lead and 65% Sulphur, controlling many fungus diseases, and both chewing and sucking insects. 1 lb., 55 cts.; 5 lbs., \$2.25; 10 lbs., \$4.00.

**\*Ant Destroyer.** The best available remedy for ants. About  $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoonful required for each hill.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.00; 5 lbs., \$2.50.

**Aphine.** A nicotine preparation for plant lice, thrip and red spider. Dilute 1 part to 40 parts of water. 1 qt., \$1.15; 1 gal., \$3.00.

**Arsenate of Lead.** Powder. Superior to paste in that it does not deteriorate from standing. Use 1 to 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. to 50 gals. of water. 1 lb., 50 cts.; 4 lbs., \$1.50; 8 lbs., \$2.75; 24 lbs., \$7.50; 48 lbs., \$14.00; 100 lbs., \$25.00.

**Black Leaf 40.** A concentrated nicotine solution for aphids, thrip and red spider. Dilute 1 oz. to from 3 to 6 gals. of water. 1 oz., 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., \$1.25; 2 lbs., \$3.50; 10 lbs., \$13.50.

**Bordeaux Mixture.** Powder. Can be used dry or as a spray. When used as a spray 6 lbs. to 50 gals. of water will make standard 3-3-50 mixture. 1 lb., 35 cts.; 4 lbs., \$1.25; 24 lbs., \$5.00; 48 lbs., \$9.00; 100 lbs., \$16.50.

**Bordeaux Arsenate of Lead.** Paste. See Pyrox.

**Bordeaux Arsenate of Lead.** Powder. Use 7 lbs. to 50 gals. of water. 1 lb., 50 cts.; 5 lbs., \$2.25; 10 lbs., \$4.25; 25 lbs., \$9.25; 50 lbs., \$16.50.

**\*Dy-sect.** A most effective remedy for Rose Chafers, Green Fly, Mealy Bug, San Jose Scale, Thrip and other hard or soft bodied insects. 4-oz. sample bottle, 30 cts.; pint, \$1.00; quart, \$1.75; half gallon, \$3.25; gallon, \$6.00.

**Fungtrogen.** A most effective and scientific preventative and remedy for Mildew, Black Spot and other fungoid diseases of roses. Pint, \$1.25; quart, \$2.00; half gallon, \$3.50; gallon, \$6.00.

**\*Grape Dust.** Powder. A remedy for mold and mildew. Ready for use as bought. 5 lbs., \$1.00; 10 lbs., \$1.85; 25 lbs., \$4.00; 100 lbs., \$14.50.

**Hellebore.** For aphids and for the currant worm. To apply as a liquid, use 4 oz. to from 2 to 3 gals. of water; dry, use 1 lb. to 5 lbs. of flour or hydrated lime.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., 55 cts.; 5 lbs., \$2.50.

**\*Melrosine.** The most effective remedy for killing full-grown rose bugs. Will not discolor flowers. Dilute 1 part to 20 parts of water.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 50 cts.; 1 pt., \$1.00; 1 qt., \$1.75;  $\frac{1}{2}$  gal., \$3.25; 1 gal., \$6.00.

**Para Dichlorobenzene.** A remedy for Peach Tree Borers. Use about 1 oz. to a tree. 1 lb., 60 cts.; 5 lbs., \$2.75; 50 lbs., \$21.50.

**Pyrox (Bordeaux Arsenate of Lead, Paste).** A combination of Bordeaux Mixture and Arsenate of Lead, forming thereby a remedy for fungus and leaf-eating insects. Use 1 lb. to from 5 to 10 gals. of water. 1 lb., 50 cts.; 5 lbs., \$1.75; 10 lbs., \$3.00; 25 lbs., \$6.25; 50 lbs., \$11.25; 100 lbs., \$18.50.

**\*Qua-Sul.** The most effective fungicide for the control of mildew, blackspot, delphinium and antirrhinum rust, damping off fungus, etc. 1 qt., \$1.25; 1 gal., \$4.00; 5 gals., \$17.50.

**\*Slug Shot.** One of the most known remedies for cabbage and currant worms. Apply as bought. 1 lb., 20 cts.; 5 lbs., 60 cts.; 25 lbs., \$2.75; 100 lbs., \$11.00.

**\*Sulfocide.** Effective against some fungus disease of certain fruits, vegetables and flowers, non-poisonous. Dilutes 1 gallon to 200 gallons of water. 1 pt., 50 cts.; 1 qt., 75 cts.; 1 gal., \$2.25; 5 gals., \$8.75; 30 gal. bbl., \$39.00.

**\*Sunoco Spray Oil.** For the control of Aphids, Azalea Lace Bug, Box Leaf Miner, Psylla, Red Spider, Scale, etc. Qt., 50 cts.; half gal., 85 cts.; gal., \$1.50; 5 gals., \$5.75.

**Sulphide of Potassium.** For mildew. Use  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. to 1 gal. of water. 4 oz. bottle, 50 cts.

**\*Sulphur.** Powdered. For mildew. 1 lb., 15 cts.; 5 lbs., 60 cts.; 10 lbs., \$1.00; 100 lbs., \$7.00.

**\*Tobacco Dust.** Coarse and Fine. Used for fumigating and for dusting plants affected with aphids. 1 lb., 15 cts.; 5 lbs., 50 cts.; 25 lbs., \$1.50; 100 lbs., \$5.00.

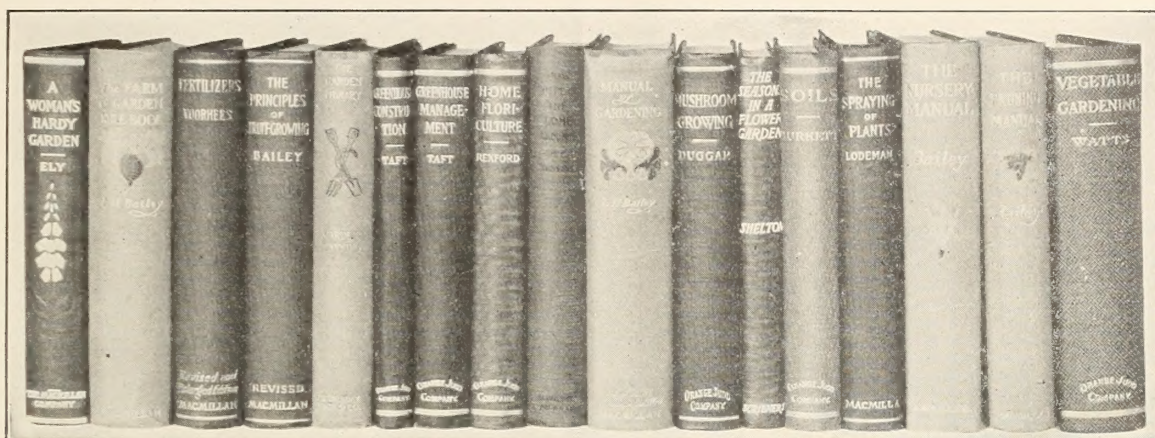
**\*Tree Tanglefoot.** A paste preparation painted around the trunk of a tree to keep caterpillars, etc., from crawling into the tree. 1 lb., 55 cts.; 5 lbs., \$2.50; 10 lbs., \$4.75.

**Weed Killer.** Kills all plant growth. Dilute 1 part to 40 parts of water. 1 qt., 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  gal., \$1.00; 1 gal., \$1.75; 5 gals., \$6.50; 50 gal. bbl., \$50.00.



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# LAWN MOWERS AND ACCESSORIES

## THE "DREER" LAWN MOWER

The "Dreer" Mower embodies features which enable us to rightly say that it has no superior. It is, of course, made of the best material with the finest workmanship. The essential feature, however, is that it is made with plain bearings not with ball bearings. It is the mistaken idea that ball bearing machines are the easiest running and generally the most satisfactory, but careful study will reveal, however, that to maintain the initial efficiency of a ball bearing mower, money and labor must be spent from time to time to install new bearings.

The "Dreer" Mower is equipped with 5 extra wide blades of crucible tool steel, oil hardened and water tempered, a triple set of gears on each side, has an extra long wheel base, cutting smoothly over uneven ground. The bottom knife has a raised edge and is of tempered crucible steel, that can be adjusted to cut any height from  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $1\frac{5}{16}$  inches from the ground.

The sharpening feature alone makes the "Dreer" Mower worth more than its cost to the user.

The "Dreer" Mower is of course guaranteed.

### "Dreer" Low Wheel Mower

12-inch cut, wheels 8" high...	\$14 00
14 " " " " ...	16 50
16 " " " " ...	19 00
18 " " " " ...	22 50

### Grass Catchers for Low Wheel Mowers

12-inch (Low Wheel).....	\$3 00
14 " " " " .....	3 25
16 " " " " .....	3 50
18 " " " " .....	3 75

### The Coldwell Imperial Roller Bearing Mower

The Coldwell Imperial Roller Bearing Mower has embodied in it the same high grade materials and workmanship that are a feature of their power mowers. Specifications include, 10 inch wheels, 5 cutting blades, and Hyatt self-oiling roller bearings.

14-inch.....	\$21 25
16 " .....	22 75
18 " .....	24 25
20 " .....	25 75

### "Dreer" High Wheel Mower

15-inch cut, wheels 10" high.....	\$25 00
17 " " " " .....	28 00
19 " " " " .....	33 00
21 " " " " .....	36 00

### Grass Catchers for High Wheel Mowers

15-inch (High Wheel).....	\$3 50
17 " " " " .....	3 75
19 " " " " .....	4 00
21 " " " " .....	4 25



"DREER" LAWN MOWER

### Great American Ball Bearing Mower

The Pennsylvania Lawn Mower Company's **Great American** mower is in all probability the best all around mower of its type. The perfectly fitting ball cups and cones insure an easy running machine. Constructed with 10" wheels, 5 blades and double gears, one in each drive wheel.

15-inch.....	\$19 50
17 " .....	22 50
19 " .....	25 00
21 " .....	28 00

## POWER LAWN MOWERS

The Coldwell Model "L" Motor Lawn Mower and Roller was designed to fill the need for a practical motor driven, hand controlled lawn mower, making it possible to cut close up to and around trees, shrubbery, walks and driveways; to operate efficiently on smaller areas and at the same time to cut from four to six acres per day on larger areas.

The Model "L" is equipped with a  $3\frac{1}{2}$  horse power Fuller-Johnson water cooled motor, cuts a swath 25 inches wide and weighs approximately 400 pounds. Price, \$325.00 f. o. b. Newburgh, N. Y.

An extreme cutting width of 60 inches can be obtained with the Model "L" used in conjunction with the recently developed Coldwell gang attachment, composed of two 20 inch roller bearing units, which attach to the rear of the Model "L," either one or both of which can be detached in a moment. Price of gang attachment \$60.00.

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Capitol Trimmer and Edger....	\$11 00
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The **Pennsylvania Lawn Cleaner** will remove from the lawn, not only the cut grass, but all sorts of litter and leaves, leaving the grass standing upright, free from foreign matter that prevents sunlight and dew from getting to the roots.

It is easy to operate; with it one man will do more and better work than four men with hand rakes.

The brushes are recommended for removing worm casts from putting greens and tennis courts.

Always specify "Rakes" or "Brushes" when ordering.

36 inches wide.....	\$42 50
24 inches wide.....	30 00
Extra brushes, 24 inches.....	7 00
" " 36 " .....	9 00



PENNSYLVANIA LAWN CLEANER